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GENERAL NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

Gubernatorial Veto

RICHMOND, Va, Feb 27—Gov. Holliday has vetoed the Barbour bill, which embodies the scheme of anti debt payers for the Virginia legislature. The veto created great excitement and a boisterous attempt was made in the house to prevent its reading being heard. The bill, it is said cannot be passed over the veto and will occasion an extra session of the legislature.

Dividend Declared.

NEW YORK, Feb 27—The Milwaukee and St. Paul directors have declared a dividend of 3½ per cent on preferred stock payable in April.

Vanderbilt Will Case.

NEW YORK, Feb 27—In the Vanderbilt will case to-day a motion was made to amend the original allegation of the contestant Mrs [illegible] and the pretended will and codicil [illegible] were procured by undue influence on the part of Wm H. Vanderbilt and others. She says [illegible] legacy she did not wish to [illegible] Mrs. Frank A. Vanderbilt [illegible] as having exercised [illegible] influence on the deceased, but [illegible] obtained sufficient proof of it, [illegible] to allege undue influence [illegible] Mr. Clinton put in a verified [illegible] undue influence [illegible] answer was so [illegible] Mrs. A A Van [illegible] absolutely denying [illegible] any undue influence [illegible] was exerted

[illegible] Released.

[illegible] Feb. 27—Miles G. Parker [illegible] been released from jail [illegible]. He has given evidence [illegible] former associates in office [illegible] documentary proof against [illegible] consideration of such testimony [illegible] a state witness in future [illegible] be allowed his freedom

Episcopal.

[illegible] Feb 27—Rev. Dr Burgess of [illegible] was elected bishop of Quincy [illegible] the ballot. Dr. Knight of [illegible] Whitehead, of Pennsylvania [illegible] chief competitors.

[illegible] Minister to Germany

[illegible] Pa, Feb 27—Bayard Taylor [illegible] appointed minister to Germany [illegible] this evening with his wife [illegible] visit to his parents. At [illegible] met by a committee who [illegible] a welcome in Borough Hall [illegible] filled to overflowing with people [illegible] neighborhood. After the [illegible] speeches of welcome and congratulation to which Taylor responded, there [illegible]

[illegible] Lottery.

[illegible] Feb 27—The court of appeals [illegible] sustained the legality of [illegible] of Kentucky, deciding the [illegible] one. The case has caused [illegible] Kentucky.

[illegible] Pedestrianism.

[illegible] Feb. 27—Bertha Von Hillern [illegible] miles walk in 28 hours to-[illegible] and a half to spare [illegible] miles was walked in three hours [illegible] minutes. The best time of the entire [illegible] was made on the last mile, which was [illegible] minutes and 45 seconds

Railway Accident.

[illegible] Feb. 27—The east-bound train [illegible] Indianapolis and St. Louis road last [illegible] struck a broken rail near Hillsboro [illegible] was thrown from the track, passengers were badly shaken and bruised. The conductor received painful injuries.

Attempted Murder and Murder.

[illegible] Ind., Feb. 27—Commodore D [illegible], a farmer 50 years old, was shot through [illegible] and killed near Mount Vernon Indiana [illegible] yesterday, by his stepson, aged 13 [illegible] was trying to murder his wife, in a [illegible] and the boy got a gun and [illegible]

[illegible] the Fire into the Courts.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 27—The British ship [illegible] with a cargo of 5 100 bales of cotton [illegible] reported burning was libeled to-[illegible] is now in the hands of the U S. [illegible] She had been filled with water [illegible] at work getting out the cargo. Six [illegible] are pumping her out.

Prohibitionists Convention.

St. Louis, Feb. 27—The Prohibition state convention will meet at St Louis March 6th [illegible] nominate a state ticket.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Another Financial Move.

WASHINGTON, Feb 27—The house banking and currency committee has decided to recommend the insertion of an additional provision [illegible] to substitute treasury notes [illegible] notes. The new feature provides [illegible] treasury notes shall be receivable [illegible] the payment of customs [illegible] two-thirds to be paid in [illegible] silver dollars. These treasury [illegible] to be made interchangeable with [illegible] at par

Cabinet Councils.

[illegible] Feb. 26.—To-day's cabinet [illegible] devoted to the consideration of [illegible] bill and the New Orleans trials. The [illegible] to favor intervention by Gov [illegible] in behalf of Anderson. The cabinet [illegible] the silver question and nothing [illegible] was learned as to the deliberations.

[illegible] Selected.

The house banking and currency committee [illegible] inflation bill

[illegible] on Finances.

[illegible] his financial speech, declaring [illegible] the full restoration of [illegible] coinage, and [illegible] make the silver [illegible] a full legal [illegible] and legitimate and demanded by the exigencies of the times

[illegible] the Silver Bill

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27—There are intimations [illegible] entitled to credit, [illegible] if the president does not veto the silver bill he will assuredly accompany his approval [illegible] message requesting supplemental legislation.

The Tariff Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27—The committee on ways and means to-day acted finally on the [illegible] of the tariff bill. To-morrow the committee will consider silk and silk goods.

Inter-State Commerce.

The bill reported by Representative Egan from the committee on commerce, for the regulation of inter-state commerce and to prevent unjust discrimination as to freight charges and facilities by railroads and other common carriers, is accompanied by an elaborate report in favor of its passage. The committee [illegible] authority to show that congress has power to enact such a law as they propose and argue that as congress only can furnish the remedy for the evils, cited the time has come when this duty should be performed.

To be Appointed Consul

WASHINGTON, Feb 27—Marshall H Twitchell, of Louisiana, who was wounded in the affair at Coushatta and lost both his arms will be appointed consul to Kingston, Jamaica.

New Position of Russia

[From the New York Times.]

Russia now enters on a new Asiatic career. Then, most important of all she [illegible] European naval power. No [illegible] in the frozen North Sea she can have her naval stations and fleets either in the [illegible] Sea, or at some point outside the Dardanelles. Her fleet will be ready to sally out at any [illegible] of the [illegible] and all her naval power will center in the Mediterranean and the Black Sea. The long cherished [illegible] passion of an outlet to the sea will at length [illegible] and Russia be brought more in connection with the great powers of the world [illegible]

WAR IN THE EAST.

Reported Resignation of Lord Derby

LONDON Feb 27—It is rumored in the lobby of the house of commons that Lord Derby has resigned in consequence of important steps resolved upon by the cabinet

Selecting her Officers

Lord Napier, of Magdala governor of Gibraltar, has arrived here and had a long conference with the Duke of Cambridge commander in chief. The afternoon papers say it has been decided to employ Lord Napier as commander in chief of any expeditionary force that may be sent out in case of war with Major General Wolseley as chief of staff

Resignation Denied

A member of the cabinet answering the inquiry "Has Derby resigned?" said, "Half an hour ago Lord Derby was with me at the cabinet council and nothing was said about his resignation"

Austrian War Preparations.

VIENNA, Feb 27—The Austrian railways have received preliminary orders to prepare for the conveyance of troops and officers on furlough have been ordered to join their regiments.

Will Fight with or without England.

LONDON, Feb 26—A Vienna dispatch says Austria will not submit to the erection on her frontier of the territories defined in the [illegible] unless the terms are modified by conference. Austria will fight with or without England

Another Week of Uncertainty.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb 27—It is stated the peace negotiations will occupy another week unless Russia insists upon them being brought to a close

Channel Squadron at Malta.

LONDON Feb 27—The channel squadron has arrived at Malta

If the Government is not Supported it Will Resign

LONDON, Feb 27—A Vienna correspondent probably in sympathy with Count Andrassy, says peace at any price agitators cannot prevent the government from carrying the credit through the delegations and reichsrath, but if they should succeed in [illegible] the government's policy, the government will resign. Another correspondent says there is not much probability that Austria will do more than protest against the terms of peace whatever their character may be

The Times leading editorial says: The struggle is between Count Andrassy's policy of the maintenance of Austrian interests as heretofore declared and the temptation offered by Russia to combine [illegible] those interests.

Dredging the Danube

GALATZ Feb 27—The Russians proposed to the Danubian commission that the latter undertake the work of clearing the Sulina mouth of the Danube

The Terms Inaccurately Published.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 27—The *Agence Russe* says the conditions of peace published in London are inaccurate: Russia has never demanded the expulsion of the Mussulman inhabitants of Bulgaria. She has only demanded a recall of Turkish officials and troops. Russia does not hand over a portion of Bosnia to Servia. The question of the straits is reserved for the consideration of Europe. The published version contains other gross inaccuracies

The Austrian Credit.

BERLIN, Feb 27—A trustworthy letter from Vienna says as the amount of the credit asked by Count Andrassy means to make use of it simply to mobilize the army, the object of the vote of credit is rather that the government may have the appearance of being prepared for all emergencies

Additional Territory.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 27.—It appears that Russia and Turkey have agreed upon an increase of territory for Servia and Montenegro. The latter acquires the ports of Spezzia, Antivari and Dulcigno, but not Scutari. Montenegro will border on Servia and the latter will regain old Servia.

Encouraging Insurrection.

ATHENS, Feb 27—The Turkish minister here has again complained to foreign diplomatists that the Greek government encourages insurrection directly and indirectly. The diplomatists have urgently protested to the government against any such encouragement

Bessarabian Retrocession

BUCHAREST, Feb 27—Austria and England oppose the retrocession of Bessarabia and France and Italy support them. It is said that Germany has counseled Russia to [illegible] her claims but Russia seems determined to persist.

A Russian Disclaimer

A St Petersburg correspondent says the statement that Russia stipulates for the cession of six ironclads and payment of Turkish bonds in full to Russian holders is certainly false

Utterly Unfounded

LONDON, Feb 27—The *Standard* says: We are enabled to state that the rumors of Lord Derby's resignation are utterly unfounded

Lord Napier's Selection. What it Means.

The *Standard*, in a leading article says all that is really implied by the selection of Lord Napier of Magdala as commander in chief and Sir Garnet Wolseley as his chief of staff, is that the terms of peace if unmodified can not be sanctioned by England. We have been brought face to face with war by the arrogant and aggressive policy of Russia

Position of the Fleet.

The *Standard* publishes another article discussing the probable landing places of the British forces near the Sea of Marmora. The writer thinks Besika Bay the most probable place. This of course, is mere surmise but the article shows a very [illegible]

WARLIKE TONE

It says the first army corps would probably proceed to the seat of war without waiting for the second which is now strenuously preparing. It is possible, of course, that even now we may not have to go to war. Russia may pause in time before she provokes it

The morning papers repeat yesterday's announcement of the appointment of Lord Napier and Gen Wolseley now giving it on an authority

The brigade of guards has been raised to its war strength. There is great activity in the brigade which is completing arrangements necessary for active service. The manufacturing centers report great activity. Thus far 600 sets of field ambulance fittings and 300 tons of bayonet steel have been ordered in Sheffield. Woolwich authorities have purchased 500 miles of telegraph wire for use with torpedoes, and material necessary to construct temporary railways for the conveyance of stores and mounting of heavy guns in siege works

The war office has ordered that no soldiers shall be transferred to the reserve until further instruction, and the Duke of Cambridge will specially inspect recruits a [illegible] shot on Friday.

Germany will be There

A Berlin dispatch says Germany is preparing to send eight ironclads to the Mediterranean in the event of war

The Grecian Insurrection

ATHENS Feb 27—Official intelligence has been received that the insurgents defeated 2,000 Turks at Kitros in Epirus on Monday killing 200

M [illegible] will leave shortly on a special [illegible] to its [illegible] all the powers

Progressing Slowly

[illegible] have not been fixed and [illegible] the amount of indemnity has not been offered

Troops Advancing

Russian troops have advanced to Zeitunburnou, 300 yards from the Turkish magazine

Cause of the Pause

VIENNA, Feb. 27.—A dispatch from Constantinople [illegible] that the [illegible] pause in negotiations is owing to Russia insisting on the cession of the Turkish [illegible] lands and occupation of Constantinople. According to Constantinople advices [illegible] is prepared to respond to such [illegible] by entering the Black Sea. Germany is endeavoring to mediate between England and Russia. The task has not been much facilitated by the publication of the peace negotiations

Bulgarian Governor.

A Berlin correspondent telegraphs that Russia proposes to appoint M [illegible] a Bulgarian governor of Bulgaria, subject to the control of Russia [illegible]

The Conference May be a Failure.

The meeting of the conference is more doubtful in consequence of the objections of Austria and England to Russia's proposed limitations of its programme

Bulgarian Reorganization

LONDON Feb 27—A Vienna dispatch says: The idea of the reorganization of Bulgaria [illegible] committee [illegible] of the international commission is attracting attention, but it is very doubtful whether Russia would assent to any such proposal

Austria More Pacific.

VIENNA, Feb 27—It is fully confirmed that the demand for credit will not be brought before the chambers. A much more hopeful impression prevails to-day. Satisfactory assurances were received last night from St. Petersburg and Berlin that Russia has renounced the idea of the extension of Bulgaria to Salonica and seems also inclined to renounce the [illegible] boundary and to limit the period of military occupation of Bulgaria, perhaps even to six months. A St. Petersburg special says:

Nothing is known in official circles here of any stipulation touching the Egyptian tribute

ENGLAND'S MILITARY POWER

A Review of her Strength, which Shows that she Would be a Formidable Antagonist

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

LONDON Feb. 27—Major General Sir Garnet Wolseley contributes to the *Nineteenth Century* an article entitled "England as a Military Power." The following are his conclusions:

At no previous period has England been so strong in a military sense as now. Were war declared to-morrow, about 400,000 drilled men would fall into line, if required, supported by 372 field guns manned and horsed by the royal artillery. That number would roughly be made up as follows: Standing army at home 99,000 men; army and militia reserve 44,000; militia, 85,000; volunteers 180,000; and a second class army reserve of 10,000; total 414,000. In his calculation I have put the figures very low and have left out altogether 10,000 yeomanry who would be available for home service. I have not taken into consideration the number of regular troops that would be available for war when the Mediterranean garrisons were furnished by the militia. It will thus be seen we could at once take the field with two fully equipped army corps of more than 30,000 soldiers each, leaving a similar force of regular troops at home as a reserve

The English Fleet in the Dardanelles

The London *Times* gives the list of the fleet which has entered the Dardanelles and is now a short distance from Constantinople

IRON-CLADS

	Guns.	Tons	H P
Achilles	16	9 694	[illegible]
Agincourt	17	10 627	6 867
Alexandria.	12	9 492	8,615
Devastation (turret)	4	9 190	[illegible]
Hotspur (turret ram)	3	4 010	3 497
Pallas	8	3 787	3 581
Research	4	1 741	1 042
Rupert (turret ram)	4	5 444	4 634
Shannon	9	4 103	3 370
Sultan	12	9 286	8 629
Swiftsure	14	6 660	4 913
Temeraire	8	8 412	700

UNARMORED SHIPS

	Guns.	Tons	H P
Antelope	1	1 01	646
Bittern	3	774	851
Condor	3	774	[illegible]
Flamingo	3	774	750
Helicon	2	985	1 010
Raleigh	22	5 200	6 158
Rapid	3	913	460
Ruby	12	1 864	1 330
Salamis	2	985	1 440
Torch	5	570	781

BY ATLANTIC CABLE

Australian Wool Shipments

LONDON, Feb 27—A private telegram from Australia states that the deficiency in wool shipments to date is 57 000 bales

Germans Pleased with Taylor

BERLIN, Feb 27—The *National Zeitung* cordially welcomes Bayard Taylor's appointment as U S minister to Germany as one conferring honor on Germany and America alike and calculated to strengthen the already strong ties between the two countries. President Hayes says the *Zeitung* deserves Germany's sincere thanks

Death of a Cardinal.

PARIS Feb 27—Godfroy Brossais Saint Marc cardinal archbishop of Rennes is dead

A Marriage Bill

LONDON Feb 27—The colonial marriage bill which passed the house of commons to-day enables the offspring of marriages concluded under colonial laws with a deceased wife's sister to inherit property in the United Kingdom

Papal News.

ROME, Feb 27—The pope has intimated his desire that pilgrims abstain from any special allusion to political questions in addresses to him. The *Discussion* of Naples publishes a circular to the diplomatic body purporting to emanate from the principal cardinals renewing the protest against Italian usurpation.

Collision at Sea.

LONDON, Feb 27—The Inman line steamship *City of New York* which arrived at Queenstown yesterday from Liverpool, in a collision sank the brig, *Emmetta* off Tuscar Rock light Wednesday. One person was drowned. Plates of the *New York's* port bow damaged

Ambassador Recalled

ROME Feb 27—It is fully confirmed that France will recall Baron Baudelier ambassador at the Vatican who is a partisan of the Jesuits

PARIS Feb [illegible] Jean [illegible] Alexandre Antigoa [illegible] is dead

An Apology for Slang.

[Richard Grant White in N. Y. Times.]

In slang, [illegible] satire of some sort [illegible] For example when a gentleman [illegible] is inclined to talk somewhat tediously on a subject which he has at heart, and of which his hearers are not much inclined to listen is told to hire a hall, he is generally able to see some satire and the others done for in the recommendation. Slang has in many cases a pith and pungency which make it not only pardonable but tolerable. It often expresses a feeling, if not a thought of a passing day which could not be so forcibly expressed—for a day—in any other phraseology. It is generally evanescent but sometimes it endures and becomes a part of the recognized vocabulary of the language. For example the word *mob* was originally slang. It is supposed to be a contraction—the first syllable of *mobile vulgus* a scornful phrase for the lowest order of common people. *Tandem* also was originally a slang word. It is Latin for at length, but as applied to driving two horses at length instead of abreast it is just such [illegible] as [illegible] Another slang word [illegible] meaning grand [illegible] pretentious is now perceptibly passing into recognized [illegible]

Be Reasonable in all Things

[illegible]

As they were about to [illegible] of the party [illegible] called out to another "Hello [illegible] was only yesterday [illegible] you were a teetotaler." "Well," said Mr D[illegible], evidently somewhat disconcerted, "you're right Misther Kelly—it's quite right ye are—I am a teetotaler, it's true, but I [illegible] a bigoted one"

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA

Duncan's Examination

SAN FRANCISCO Feb 27—[illegible] was brought into police court this morning, but his examination went over till next Tuesday

Probable Loss of the Grace Darling.

The master of the barkentine *Melancthon* reports that on the night of January 31 while he saw the ship *Grace Darling* a heavy storm raging at the time with vivid lightning he passed near her and distinguished her as the lightning presented her to view. In the morning nothing could be seen of her although the *Melancthon* had not made much progress and as she is now 55 days out from Departure Bay she is given up as lost with all on board. She was laden with coal. Capt. Harrington, two officers, the carpenter, cook, steward and twelve men composed the ship's complement

What Lieut Brann of the Corwin, Says

Lieut Brann commanding the revenue cutter *Thomas Corwin*, reports that he did not run from San Francisco to Astoria in seventy eight hours as represented in the newspapers, but that he was 84 hours in going to the mouth of the Columbia river and during the voyage encountered terrible gales. In obedience to instructions he avers he went directly to Astoria and that after getting inside he had to wait six days to get outside again. The cutter crossed the bar on the return cruise, when the barometer was falling and every indication of a storm appearing. The bar was breaking heavily at the time and when the vessel got fairly outside a fearful gale was encountered. The lieutenant says he cruised along the coast to a point within a few miles of shore and out a distance of 150 miles from land and although looking for vessels in distress did not find any

The Weather.

Raining briskly all forenoon with fresh southeast wind

Munificent Gift.

SAN FRANCISCO Feb 27—James R. Keene has telegraphed from New York to the San Francisco *Bulletin* to distribute $7,500 on his account among the churches of the city and the Potrero relief committee engaged in relieving the wants of the suffering poor

Charged with Manslaughter

In the inquest on Police Officer Cotella, shot on the 25th the jury this afternoon found a verdict charging Mrs Capolla with manslaughter

California Legislature

SACRAMENTO Feb 27—In the assembly after reading bills without taking any action the clerk proceeded to read Hart's bill No 341, an act to create the office of commissioner of transportation and define its powers and duties to fix maximum charges for transporting passengers and freights on certain railroads and to prevent extortion and unjust discrimination thereon

Tuttle offered an amendment to section two substituting for lieut governor as ex-officio commissioner of transportation until otherwise appointed by law the person to be appointed by the governor, lost, yeas 30 nays 31

Tuttle offered as in the amendment to section 2 as follows: "The commissioner of transportation shall be appointed by the governor, who shall hold the office until next general election, when a commissioner of transportation shall be elected. The duties of said commissioner shall be as hereinafter prescribed," lost yeas 28 nays 33

Amendment by Johnson inserting the words making terms of the sixth section apply specifically to any railroad included in the provisions of this act adopted

Tuttle moved to strike out the word six and insert two in the second section so that no new station, switch or side track that may be petitioned for shall be established within less than five miles of one already established.

Hare moved to amend again by substituting four for five lost

House rose as committee of the whole and reported progress. Adjourned.

Rains—Bad Roads—Crops

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Feb 27—The roads throughout the country are in such condition from continuous rains that travel is impeded and business very dull. Rain to-day has fallen in torrents, streams high and considerable damage has been done. The bridge built by the county a year ago at a cost of $3 000 at San Simeon is swept away into the ocean. Another at Cayucas is gone. About two miles of the railroad track are entirely washed from the bed. Although much damage is done, the bounteous rain which now is over 25 inches is going to have a very beneficial result insuring two good years. The growth of grass and grain is beyond all that could be anticipated. Farmers in the southern part of the county are urging an extension of the railroad in consequence of the promising season. One hundred thousand acres of land will be offered to settlers in small tracts at prices ranging from $3 to $20 per acre. Wind south with steady warm rain

Heavy Storm.

SAN DIEGO Feb, 27—The heaviest storm of the season has raged since 7 30 last evening. Rainfall to date over an inch. Total rainfall of the season, 10 in 40-100

A California Mist

MARYSVILLE Feb. 27—Rain has fallen all day with slight intermission and at this hour still continues with prospect of continuing through the night.

COLUSA Feb 27—Monday night and all day Tuesday we experienced the heaviest storm of wind and rain of the season. The river is eight inches below high water mark and is about at a standstill but inclined to rise. Weather cloudy with showers all day to-day. Wind south. Rainfall from noon Monday to noon to-day 1 26-100 inches. Total for the season 28 3-100

ARIZONA.

Railroad Business

YUMA, Feb 27—The business of the Southern Pacific railroad has so increased that they have found it necessary to erect an additional warehouse for the accommodation of the Arizona traffic. Within the past ten days upwards of 300 tons of freight has passed through Yuma for Colorado river points aside from an immense quantity for inland points. Two cars of mill machinery arrived this morning for the Pinal mill and mining company

Mining Matters.

Miners generally seem pleased with the prospects. New and rich developments have been made recently. To-night's train takes out 21 000 pounds of Silver King concentrated ore valued at $22 000. Three hundred pounds of silver nuggets from the King mine worth $10 a pound, also 18 tons of Castle Dome ore were shipped to Oakland

NEVADA.

The Chinese Substitution Case.

VIRGINIA Feb 27—The trial of Breen Chief of Police which began to-day contained no startling developments thus far except the fact that the man taken from the Virginia City jail was not the one landed at Reno by Breen. The examination will probably last several days. Corrie is out on bail

Paradise in New York

[From the Christian Union.]

At Mrs. [illegible]'s ball at [illegible] from [illegible] to 5 o'clock in the evening [illegible] the floral decorations to the house. The corridors were forests of trees [illegible] of roses were in every corner, vases of [illegible] were lavishly filled [illegible] three of these bells hung [illegible] six hundred yards of smilax [illegible] were strewed over every article which would hold a [illegible] baskets and hand bouquets there was no end [illegible]

The Albany Canal Company has elected the following directors: Jas H Foster, Jason Wheeler, Olney Fry, C. H. Burkhart and L. Elkins

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senate

WASHINGTON, Feb 27.—

Hoar presented [illegible] citizens of Cape Cod remonstrating against the passage of Sargent's bill to reorganize the coast guard and life saving service.

Sargent said the reports of the life saving service emanating from that class of [illegible] disgraceful state of that [illegible] service. It was well known that in some instances where the officers and men of the life saving service were in sight of vessels needing relief they were afraid to man the boats and the [illegible] forward and performed the work. Persons were appointed now to please politicians and not on account of their fitness for the work. He thought sailors accustomed to the sea and used to military discipline would improve the service

Allison introduced a bill to provide for the entry of lands by [illegible] under the homestead law. Referred

House

The senate bill amending the act providing for publication of [illegible] of the revised statutes was taken from the speaker's table and passed.

Crittenden offered a resolution directing the judiciary committee to inquire whether the Union Pacific Railroad Company has invested its funds in stocks, bonds or other evidences of debt of any corporation, and if so in what corporation and whether said Union Pacific has violated its charter by so doing. Referred

The bill issuing arms and ammunition to Idaho territory passed.

The bill authorizing the president to review the court martial proceedings of 1864 in the case of ex-Surgeon General Hammond and to annul the same and place Dr Hammond on the retired list as surgeon general but without giving him any right to past, present or future pay or allowances passed without debate.

The bill pensioning soldiers of the Mexican war was then taken up.

Brogden and Davis, of North Carolina advocated the bill. The latter denied the bill would place the name of Jeff Davis on the pension roll.

Scales criticised the speech of last Monday by Joyce and declared himself rejoiced that such sentiments did not come from a native born son of America.

Singleton opposed the bill. He was in favor of pensions to invalid soldiers for those were debts of honor but to all others it would be an insult to offer eight dollars a month for having fought for their country. If this bill were to pass he would offer an amendment granting pensions to all soldiers who fought on the union side during the rebellion so as to make no discrimination between soldiers of the country

Burchard opposed the bill not because men who had been disloyal during the late war would receive the benefits of the bill but because he did not think that in the present condition of the country congress should grant pensions to persons who did not need aid from the government. Later on, when those veterans would be too old to support themselves such a bill would be right, not now.

Townsend of New York opposed the bill because of the expense. The bill would cost seven million dollars annually and the country knew the revenue for the coming year was already more than seven million dollars short of the necessary wants of the government. Where was the money to come from? Was whisky to be taxed any higher in order to raise money to pay those pensions? Gentlemen here said they must not say anything about the late rebellion. That rebellion had fixed on the country an enormous debt. But for that it would be possible to pass this bill. This terrible anxiety in the interest of economy vanished the moment when it was possible to pension a rebel. He did not undertake to say a majority of the veterans of the Mexican war had become rebels, but there was a [illegible] and [illegible] on the other side of the house toward soldiers who had fought for their country which was very suspicious. The bill was a blow calculated to strike the vitals of the people and hence he opposed it.

McGowan made a speech against the bill and then without action the committee rose and the house adjourned

A FORGOTTEN HERO.

SHATTERED OVER SIXTY YEARS AGO WHILE UPHOLDING HIS COUNTRY

[C R Low, Lieut. R N, in London Times.]

On the 7th of January there passed away in his ninety first year, Captain Charles Boyce of the Indian navy, who so long ago as the year 1815 performed a deed of unsurpassed valor in upholding the honor of his country's flag

On the 30th of June in that year Lieutenant Boyce then in command of the Honorable Company's brig *Nautilus*, of fourteen guns, was cruising in the straits of Sunda, when the United States corvette *Peacock* twenty two guns, Captain Warrington, hove in sight. As Lieutenant Boyce had received notice of Mr Madison's proclamation of peace with England he made no attempt to shun his adversary, but sent a boat to inform Captain Warrington of the conclusion of peace. That officer however, replied by hailing Lieutenant Boyce to haul his flag down as a token of submission or stand the alternative of being sunk

But the gallant Boyce held the honor of his country superior to any other consideration, and although he knew that certain destruction awaited him in a conflict with an enemy of such overwhelming force, he deliberately preferred defeat to dishonor and the reply that came over the water was a peremptory refusal. An action ensued, and soon the gallant young captain of the *Nautilus* lay prostrate on the deck with a grapeshot measuring 2½ inches in his hip, and his right knee and thigh bone shattered by a 32 pounder shot while his first lieutenant, Mr. Mayston lay by his side mortally wounded. Feeling that his country's honor—dearer to him than limb or life—was satisfied and in order to save the useless slaughter of his brave seamen, he gave the order to the boatswain, the officer now in charge to strike his flag

It should be borne in mind that when Lieut Boyce answered the insolent demand of the United States commander by an equally haughty refusal his crew, owing to loss on active service had been reduced to forty officers and men and of these two officers and a boat's crew had been detained by Capt Warrington so that he was pitting his handful of men against a crew of 220 seamen flushed with their recent victory over her majesty's ship *Epervier* of eighteen guns.

The United States government recognized the illegality of the act of the commander of the *Peacock* by conferring a pension on Lieut Boyce, and it was only a few days ago that the shattered frame of this brave seaman was carried to its last resting place at St Calais, Sarthe, France

Stanley's Working Powers

[From the New York Tribune.]

Mr Henry Stanley is reported as saying that the first line he ever wrote as a journalist was an account of a naval engagement that he witnessed from the masthead—one of the earlier ones of the war. He sent it to the *Herald*. It was accepted, published and liberally paid for and Stanley received a flattering letter from Mr Bennett as Stanley's was the only account. This so fired the boy's ambition that he applied himself to reading and study as [illegible] he could, and the [illegible] to travel and write. A[illegible] says of him in the Cincinnati [illegible]: His powers of labor [illegible] never tired nor [illegible] known him after [illegible] to remain up the [illegible] in an overcoat and blanket, [illegible] by the aid of a tallow candle [illegible] long night, several [illegible] set on the same [illegible] usage and ideas, [illegible] who started [illegible] to the jolting [illegible] of repose on the [illegible] the operation of he could [illegible] a chance of another letter.

[illegible] Colorado

One of the [illegible] of Colorado was a friend [illegible] after he located there Wade made [illegible] The country was [illegible] anything—even to one of Wade's rugged nature. After looking the ground over the [illegible] God for [illegible] "Why," said his friend, "this is going to be [illegible] back here is water and good [illegible]" "Yes," exclaimed the [illegible] "that's all they lack in hell!"

An American [illegible] who has married a Frenchman of rank and good circumstances says that none know until they have lived *en ville* in France what economy in its true sense means how in fact the most can be made of everything

POLITICAL AFFAIRS IN ALABAMA.

[Montgomery Correspondence in N Y Times.]

There are about 100,000 Republican voters in Alabama and yet they have not one single representative in congress. The Democratic vote of Alabama is about 90 000 and that party has the eight federal representatives allowed Alabama. With fair and honest elections five of those representatives would be Republicans. One of the districts has nearly 15,000 Republican majority and yet that district is represented in congress by one of the most bitter and illiberal Democrats to be found in Alabama. Could a minority of Democrats in a congressional district in the state of New York take charge of all the ballot boxes and destroy a Republican majority of thousands and go unpunished? Would the people of New York submit to such an infamous outrage upon their rights? Two of the Democratic representatives in congress from Alabama owe their seats to the most outrageous frauds. If the Democratic leaders are determined that no Republican representatives shall be elected in this state, the people of the north should demand a [illegible] of congressional representation, so that Alabama should only be entitled to four instead of eight members.

Having no hope of assistance from the general government the Republicans of Alabama have become a blank in the political affairs of the state. Mr Hayes has removed every true and emphatic Republican he could find in federal offices in this state and has installed in their places men acceptable to the Bourbon Democratic managers. This wholesale system of removal of Republican officials has no excuse in justice or honor. Every Republican of character and influence is obnoxious to the Democratic managers. There were in several prominent federal offices here men who had rendered valuable services to the nation and the party. They had served with credit in the union army and had settled here after the close of the war, some engaging in the practice of law, some in farming, and others in merchandising. They were not chronic place hunters, depending upon office for maintenance. They were men who had been persuaded to accept these official stations because their characters and reputations were such as would reflect credit upon Republicanism. These men were devotedly attached to their party, and on all proper occasions exerted themselves in forwarding the interests of the party. They were men against whom no word of reproach could honestly be uttered. As a matter of course therefore they were obnoxious to the Democratic leaders. Mr Hayes has removed them from their offices at the instance of Democratic members of congress, and has nominated to succeed them some of the most notorious office seekers in Alabama. For a Republican administration thus to destroy its friends and strengthen its enemies is one of the many anomalies of Mr Hayes' policy of pacification. No candid man can observe the actual condition of affairs in this state without coming to the conclusion that unless a change is effected, trouble is ahead. A majority of the voters of a great state are crushed down by a hostile minority, and deprived of all their political rights. Here, in this large Republican county, with a majority of nearly 5,000, the Democrats under Mr Hayes' policy, have succeeded in electing their county tickets; they have inaugurated a system of drawing jurors which has driven colored men entirely from any participation in the courts. The colored population of this county exceeds that of the whites by five to one. If juries, therefore, were honestly drawn, the colored people would have a majority, but under the policy of reconciliation they are not allowed any. Thus they are deprived of congressional representation, driven from the courts, and oppressed in so many forms that sooner or later there must be a halt or the worm will turn and sting.

DEMOCRATIC CONGRESSMEN AGAINST TILDEN

[From Interviews in the Washington Post (Dem.)]

General Slemmons of Arkansas, said, very emphatically:

"We don't want anything more to do with Tilden, our people are disgusted with him."

"Whom are your people for, general?" queried the reporter.

"Well, it's hard to tell yet, but they're not for Tilden, that's certain. We don't want any man from east of the Alleghenies."

Mr Whitthorne of Tennessee, said: "The people of my district will not go for Tilden any more, and, if I know them, the people of Tennessee will not either."

Mr Schleicher of Texas, is not a Tilden man, and about his district he said: "Though I have never heard the matter talked much about, I don't think the Texas people want Tilden again."

Mr Wilson, of West Virginia, didn't know that his people had any personal objection to Tilden but "they will not support him again," he said.

General Dibrell of Tennessee expressed himself: "Our people have no further use for Tilden, his conduct after he was elected satisfied them he is not the man they want."

"Would they support him again?"

"They wouldn't help nominate him again if that's what you mean."

General Clark, of Missouri: "Tilden can never be nominated by the Democrats again, he beat us out of one victory, and that's enough."

Mr Goode expressed the sentiment of Virginia in these sensible words: "He (Tilden) had one chance and didn't avail himself of it. Our people think we can get a better and a stronger man next time. It's too late now to right old wrongs."

Mr Singleton's idea of the feeling in Mississippi was as follows: "The fact is, they don't want anything more to do with Tilden. They fought a brave fight for him, and he didn't stand up for his rights, and they don't want any more of him."

Mr. Bright, of Tennessee said: "I am confident our people would not choose Tilden again. They are not pleased at the line of policy he adopted before, and there are other objections to him. He is not with the people on the currency question and besides he is too old. He is out of the line of presidential promotion. No sir; Tilden will never be the choice of the people again."

Mr Harris, of Virginia said: "Tilden has no strength. We elected him once, he wouldn't take the office, and that will do."

Mr Cravens of Arkansas said: "Our people have had enough of Tilden. We can get a better man."

"Do you think they can be brought round to send a Tilden delegation to the next convention?"

"No, they can't. I'm certain of that."

Mr Hartzell who represents the southern people of southern Illinois, said: "Tilden will never be renominated. He stands no more chance than Jeff Davis, and he couldn't be elected if he were nominated again. The Democrats of Illinois couldn't be whipped into supporting him again."

The Hon Proctor Knott expressed the opinion that the tried and true Democracy of "Old Kentucky" will not lift up its voice for Tilden again. He thought the last canvass and its miserable failure after the battle had been won gave Kentucky all she wants of Tilden

The Scriptures on the Pass System

[From the Cincinnati Commercial.]

The following notice is posted in a prominent railroad office in this city:

In those days there were no passes given. Search the Scriptures.
Thou shalt not pass.—(Numbers xx: 18.)
Suffer not a man to pass.—(Judges, iii: 28.)
The wicked shall no more pass.—(Nahum, i: 15.)
None shall ever pass.—(Isaiah xxxiv: 10.)
This generation shall not pass.—(Mark xiii: 30.)
Though they roar, yet shall they not pass.—(Jeremiah v: 22.)
So he paid his fare and went.

Gov Brayman, of Idaho, retorts in a vigorous way upon those who have arraigned him. They don't seem to have much advantage of him

A LOTTERY OF DEATH.

CONFEDERATE MEASURES OF RETALIATION FOR THE HANGING OF SPIES IN KENTUCKY

(Gen. R. S Northcott in Phila. Weekly Times.)

In the early part of the year 1863, General Burnside who was in command of the federal forces in Kentucky, apprehended two confederate captains, whom, upon investigation he adjudged to be spies, and executed them by hanging. The confederate government, when it came to a knowledge of this execution, averred that the two captains who had thus been summarily executed by General Burnside were not spies, and resolved upon measures of retaliation by hanging two federal officers of equal rank. Shortly after this Captain Samuel McKee of the fourteenth Kentucky (federal) cavalry, was captured and confined in Libby prison, and the confederates refused to parole him for exchange, announcing that they would hang him as an offset to one of the spies hung by Burnside. Subsequently a large number of federal officers were captured at Rome, Ga, and Winchester Va. These were all confined in Libby prison. [illegible] the confederates had obtained possession of all these officers, there was an order issued by General Winder, provost marshal of the confederacy, that all the federal captains there prisoners of war, should draw lots to ascertain which two of the whole number should be executed by way of retaliation for the Kentucky case.

On the morning of the 6th of [illegible], 1863, the three hundred officers in Libby became almost jubilant, over the news that a flag-of-truce boat had arrived at City Point for the purpose of conveying the federal prisoners to Annapolis. This good news was soon followed by an order for all the captains in the prison to report in one of the lower rooms. This following so close upon the news of the arrival of the flag of truce boat, was regarded as still more encouraging. The prisoners concluded that the captains were ordered down for the purpose of being paroled preparatory to being conveyed to the boat, and that other officers would soon follow. The officers who had been left were in a state of intense anxiety to learn what disposition was to be made of the captains. They waited above an hour in this state of suspense when all the captains returned except two—but not in the same high spirits in which they left, but on the contrary in the deepest gloom. They had been forced to draw in a lottery in which the prize was death. Two of their number had drawn this prize. These were Captain Henry W. Sawyer, of the First New Jersey Cavalry, and Captain John D. Flinn, of the Fifty-first Indiana Infantry.

When the captains had reached the room designated, the commandant of the prison informed them that he had a very painful duty to perform, that he had been ordered that all the captains should draw lots to ascertain which two of them should be hung by way of retaliation for the spies hung by General Burnside. After he had written the name of each on a small slip of paper and deposited it in a box, he then informed them that they could select one of their own number to draw the names from the box, and that the two thus drawn would suffer death by hanging. After consultation they concluded that the lots should be drawn by Rev Mr. Brown, the venerable chaplain of the 1st Maryland infantry, who was accordingly sent for and consented to perform the solemn work and the result was that Captains Sawyer and Flinn drew the prize of death. After this all the captains, save Sawyer and Flinn, were returned to their former quarters. The latter were escorted to General Winder's headquarters, where sentence of death by hanging was formally passed upon them, to take place at some time and place to be named by President Davis. They were returned to the prison and confined to the cells for some days, but after a time they were permitted to remain with the other officers during the day but fastened in cells during the night.

The authorities of the federal government, upon learning of the condemnation of Sawyer and Flinn, and believing the condemnation to be groundless, immediately ordered Gen. Fitzhugh Lee and Capt Winder, son of Gen. Winder, who were then confederate prisoners in the hands of the federals, into close confinement and informed the confederate authorities that if Sawyer and Flinn were executed, Lee and Winder would suffer death in the same manner. When the confederate authorities learned this they modified their treatment of Sawyer and Flinn, and placed them on the same footing with other federal prisoners. After this but little was ever heard of the matter. The day of execution was never named by the confederate president. Sawyer and Flinn were paroled with others and sent to Annapolis by flag of truce boat on the 14th of March, 1864.

Hill Not Without Following in Georgia.

[From the Augusta (Ga.) Chronicle.]

About four-fifths of the people of Georgia are profoundly indifferent about the financial question now raging in congress and to a considerable extent in the newspapers. If a fair poll could be made our doubting friends would be surprised to find how powerful a minority—if it indeed be a minority—support Senator Hill in his position upon the silver bill. Even General Gordon, who favors inflation of the currency, warns the people that they may be disappointed in the result of congressional enactments, which, after the manner of [illegible], propose to give everything to everybody. If Mr. Hill commit no more flagrant crime politically than an adherence to an honest basis of finance, especially for the south, which so largely produces the staple that commands gold prices the world over, and is so able if she would, to be independent of the west for food supplies, he will have little trouble in succeeding himself as a senator from Georgia.

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THE HARD TIMES.

There are many facts which go to show that the cry of hard times throughout the United States is to a large extent fallacious. It is a fashion of the time rather than an expression of a fact. Political orators have been talking it and the newspapers have been talking it; members of congress have been descanting upon it in order to evince their sympathy for the toiling masses, with a view to future elections. Cases of individual bankruptcy and depression of business in particular localities have been made the basis of an exaggerated idea that general distress prevails. It is the prevalent talk that the country never saw worse times than now. But is it so? Its productive industry is on a good basis. The account of foreign trade has for two years shown a large balance in our favor. We are exporting more wheat, corn, beef, wool, cotton and petroleum, than ever before. Our manufactures of iron, leather, cotton and other staples are finding markets from which they have been cut off ever since the beginning of our civil war. For a time we exported bonds, imported foreign goods and consumed them, and looked on the operation as a sign of prosperity. There is a change to more rational methods as we find it necessary to abandon prodigal habits and return to the practice of economy. But a country that produces so much as ours and finds so large a foreign market for all its products is not so badly off as croakers would make it. It is a fact that the savings banks of the country never had so many depositors, or so large sums on deposit, as now. Even the savings banks of San Francisco, where the uproar about the sufferings of labor has been loudest, are not an exception to the rule. The working classes are the principal depositors in savings banks; and here is a fact which proves that a great deal of the talk of hard times and distress is really groundless. The country is not suffering so much as many suppose. Its orators are among its principal inflictions,—men who live as agitators and work at it as a trade.

In San Francisco manufacturing industry developes at an astonishing rate. A tabular statement published by the journals of that city show that there are 935 manufacturing establishments, employing 27,092 persons. The value of these products of last year was $[illegible],525,500. The very striking fact in connection with this industry is that of its great development within the last few years. In 1870 the products of manufacturing industry in the city hardly reached $20,000,000. It is stated that the proportion of Chinese employed is now less than formerly, since many find from experience that white labor is more profitable, even at higher rates. It is this growth of manufacturing industry that accounts for the progress of San Francisco, which, in spite of all that is said about hard times, was never more rapid than now.

Of the products of industry the country has nearly doubled its exports since 1869. Total exports for 1869 and 1877 are thus compared:

	Goods.	Specie.	Total.
1869	$334,946,008	$56,785,931	$393,731,939
1877	620,268,222	48,317,224	668,585,446

There has been some increase of imports since 1869, but nothing to compare with this vast increase of exported commodities.

The totals of imports for the two years are thus stated:

	Goods.	Specie.	Total.
1869	$438,525,994	$24,898,427	$463,424,421
1877	480,224,876	23,676,298	503,901,174

These figures demonstrate beyond question a movement toward recovery of the prosperity which was lost during the period of inflation. Eight years ago we were importing goods worth seventy millions more than all our exports. We are now exporting values greater than our imports by one hundred and sixty-five millions. There is a future for a country that can exhibit so favorable a change.

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GOVERNMENT SAVINGS BANKS.

There has been some account by telegraph of the bill to provide for postal savings banks and to fund small sums therein deposited into a popular government loan. The bill authorizes receipt of savings at postal banks in sums of twenty-five cents and upward; and when ten dollars have accumulated on any one account, a postal money order may be issued, which may be placed in a 3.65 bond, interest payable quarterly, which bond is at option reconvertible into currency. The denominations of the bonds will be ten, twenty, fifty and one hundred dollars. The plan is fashioned somewhat upon the system of the British postoffice savings banks.

This system was first established in England in 1861. Certain postoffices in the kingdom are designated to receive deposits in sums of one shilling and upward for transmission to the central office in London. The moneys thus received are invested in the public funds, and depositors of one pound or upward receive interest at the rate of two and a half per cent per annum. The depositor may apply at any postoffice savings bank in the kingdom to withdraw his money, which must be paid with interest within ten days at farthest after his demand. Starting with 301 postal savings banks in England in 1863, the system has since extended over Ireland and Scotland, till the number is now about six thousand, having accounts with nearly two millions of depositors.

The system is urged in the United States as a means of protecting the savings of the people, while yielding them a sure and moderate interest. It is argued that the government would thus become the holder of a large and permanent loan at a low rate of interest, convenient to the public credit; that losses flowing from careless, irresponsible or dishonest private or corporate management would be avoided, and that habits of economy and thrift, as well as attachment to the government and its solvency and permanence, would be largely promoted.

The *Standard* essays sarcasm. It says: "It is very seldom we find anything in The Oregonian of sufficient merit to justify its republication by us." Possible? This cannot but be considered ironical, since it is known that the only thing which gives to the *Standard* the few readers it has is republication in it day by day of matter from The Oregonian. The average amount it thus reprints is several columns a day; but most of it is given so meagerly as to be unintelligible. However, that makes no difference, since it has all been read in full in The Oregonian twenty-four hours before. But this system of journalism has its advantages. It keeps down our neighbor's circulation to limits which enables it to handle its daily issues with no sort of trouble. And then, if a local event happens at a late hour of the morning it can keep its forms open till sunrise and still have time to print off its circulation of 187 copies; while The Oregonian, with a circulation of many thousands, though it has the fastest printing machinery in the country, is compelled to go to press much earlier, or miss the mails and be much too late with its city edition. The superiority of the *Standard's* position is apparent. It can take everything leisurely, has the news of the world—or rather what was the news the day before—prepared to its hand, and has only to glide along and be happy.

If we are to get any railroad bill it will be the bill of the Northern Pacific as reported by the house committee; and to get even that it is necessary that all antagonisms and opposition shall cease, and that a united effort shall be made. It is not an easy job to pass any bill. In congress and throughout the country there is strong sentiment against the policy of subsidies, and even against renewal of grants. The south wants a subsidy for the Texas Pacific. As the chances of getting it diminish there is danger that the great strength of the south in congress will reinforce the opposition to subsidies of whatever character, and thus prevent renewal of this northern grant. Hence the importance of speedy action. The bill should ere this have become a law. And so it would, had it not been obstructed and opposed by those who ought to have accepted it willingly as the best obtainable thing. They will be forced now to accept it, or to throw away the last hope of accomplishing anything whatever. But delay is dangerous. Postponement may be fatal. Immediate action should be urged. Further division and opposition are not only useless, but will tend to defeat the only proposition which has the slightest chance of passing into a law.

The argument in the Kentucky legislature for re-establishment of the whipping-post is that the lash is the only punishment that has any terror whatever for a large class of offenders. Sunk below all sense of shame or fear of disgrace, and considering imprisonment no punishment at all, they can be moved only by the argument that cuts the bare back. Having no moral nature that can be reached, physical pain is the only terror that can restrain or amend. Following the example of Kentucky, the St. Louis grand jury has reported in favor of establishing the whipping-post, and a similar proposition has been introduced in the Mississippi legislature. The Kentucky act makes forty stripes less one the penalty for offences of a certain grade when the jury so advise. It excepts women from the lash, but lays it on to wife beaters, as it should.

Wednesday morning, just as The Oregonian had been sent to press, the engine that drives the printing machinery of the establishment became disabled; and the delay resulting therefrom made the paper late. However, by greatest exertions the mail and express editions were got off in time, though the paper could not be distributed throughout the city as early as usual. All newspapers are liable to accidents which cause delay, and sometimes total failure of a day's issue; but The Oregonian has never failed in a single instance, and this is only the second time in its history when an accident has caused any considerable delay. This good fortune is to be attributed to the care, skill and fidelity with which the mechanical departments of the paper are served.

It is not yet known what the president will do with the silver bill. The cabinet, it is stated, is divided on it. It is believed that McCrary, Thompson, and perhaps Key, are in favor of it, while Evarts, Devens and Schurz doubtless are against it. Sherman's position is well known. He has been an earnest and intelligent supporter and advocate of the single standard of money recognized by the world; though it has been thought possible he would approve the present bill as being as little mischievous as any that could be hoped for.

Heretofore the Democrats have been glad of the aid of August Belmont, banker; and through him and his associates the money has been obtained for all their political campaigns for a dozen or twenty years. But he has been speaking out against the financial heresies of the western section of his party and they are denouncing him with as much energy and bitterness as if they never had received his money to keep their political committees from bankruptcy.

The circulation of the London *Telegraph* exceeds by far that of any other paper in the world. Jennings, formerly editor of the New York *Times*, writes to the *World* that the daily circulation of the *Telegraph* is 225,000 copies, which is as much as that of all the other London papers combined.

Mr McGilvra of Seattle, who arrived at San Francisco from Washington some days ago, informed the *Alta* that he did not think Mr. Mitchell would obtain a favorable report on his railroad bill even from his own committee. No doubt Mr. McGilvra forecasts it rightly.

Gen. Anderson, whom the Democracy of Louisiana are sending to the penitentiary, is of southern nativity and served in the Confederate army. He is hated all the more intensely on this account, because it is held that he has no right to be a Republican.

We have got the silver bill, but there is another question. How are the silver dollars to find their way into the pockets of those who have been so loudly demanding them?

A Chinese proverb says the finest roads do not go far. Then if bad roads are long ones our roads just now must be the longest in the world.

Why the President has Few Friends.

[Washington Correspondence Boston Herald (Ind.)]

There are some men in congress who are in sympathy with the president's alleged purposes, and who would be only too glad to render him the service of their friendship, if they only had the opportunity. This opportunity is never afforded them. Mr. Hayes makes no effort, so far as can be known, to attach to himself or to his administration the men who would naturally be in sympathy with it. To serve him or to proffer sympathy is quite as thankless a task as to offer an open or skulking opposition. There is a lack of the organizing faculty in the president's mind. Supreme self-satisfaction and a cherished belief that they will all come out right in the end, take the place, in his mind, of the faculty which designs, organizes and effects political results. Good opportunities for strengthening his cause are constantly let slip, and men whose friendship would be valued are all alienated needlessly and carelessly. The feeling that the president does not really care much about anybody but himself grows and spreads among those of his own party. He sometimes acts as if he were afraid that men would support him. The congressmen find themselves ignored at some of the departments—not because the president thinks they ought to be ignored, but because he doesn't care a rap about them. The effect of this is demoralizing both on the congressmen and on the causes which the president is supposed to have at heart.

"Death Struggle of the Republican Party."

[From the New York World.]

We learn from Indiana that George W. Julian, of that state, has written a remarkable article for the forthcoming number of the *North American Review*, to which he has given the expressive title of "The Death Struggle of the Republican Party." As Mr. Julian assisted at the birth of the Republican party, nursed and protected its infancy, and better than most men living knows what its mission was and what were the elements of its strength, he may be assumed to have studied with no hostile eye the sources of its decay, and his verdict that it has outlived its usefulness will possess a singular interest. The "old organization abolitionists" were none of them addicted to literary milk-and-water, but Mr. Julian was a kind of Junius even among the old organization abolitionists, as remarkable for the biting energy of his style as for the fearless independence and unbending integrity of his character. The Blaines and Conklings may as well prepare themselves for the actual cautery.

Has Few Friends at Washington.

[From the Evening Telegram.]

Mr. Mitchell's bill, unfortunately, does not appear to command more than the casual attention of congress. Even the committee of which he is chairman does not appear to take sufficient interest in the matter to prepare a seasonable report. It will be a disappointment to many confiding people of Oregon to know this, but facts are inevitable, and facts do not appear to indicate that Mr. Mitchell's bill has many friends in Washington.

Promises, or Professes Nihil.

[From the Portland Standard.]

All the compliments the *Standard* has been called upon to pass on Senator Mitchell's efficiency have not crowded its columns. When we hear of something he *has done*, we shall take pleasure in mentioning it, but we have no spare room in the paper to compliment him on what he proposes to do.

Hayes is in the White House eating bread and
 honey,
But for Anderson in prison it ain't so very funny.
—*Oregonian.*

"Gabble" is in Washington along with Booth and
 Jones;
Stiles is in the county jail all shrunk to skin and
 bones.
—*Evening Telegram.*

Chad and Gilfry at Salem living in clover,
School fund dwindling all the state over.

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At Lafayette, Feb. 26, to the wife of John Milloy, a daughter.

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In this city, Feb. 28, of diphtheria, Sadie Read, aged 7 years.

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[TELEGRAM.]

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$8000 TO $9000 EIGHT TO
and Dollars, to be secured
gage on city property, will be loaned
less than $1000, on reasonable terms,
WM STRONG

MISCELLANEOUS.

OLYMPIC CLUB.

THE ANNUAL MEETING FOR
Officers of the Olympic Club, will
the hall of the Club on Wednesday
M., Polls open from 7 P. M. to
C. F. PAXTON

P. G. STEWART

WOULD INFORM THE PUBLIC
will clean and repair Clocks
Portland, East or West. I am
Furniture Store.

SMALLPOX.

HAVING RECEIVED A NEW
supply bovine Vaccine matter, I
Vaccinate from 3 to 5 P. M. every
should miss this opportunity
numbers are reported. DR. R. F
129 First st,

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that
of stockholders in the Camp Creek
and Gold and Silver Mining Company
at the law office of Thomas N. Strong
Dekum's Building in the city of Portland
Oregon, on the 8th of March, 1878
for the consideration of important
business MARK A.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

MEETING OF THE STOCK
Monumental Silver Mining
will be held at the office of the com
First and Stark street, Portland, Oregon
day, March 14th, 1878, at 7 o clock, P. M.
C. D FOLGER

REMOVED.

DR. A. POHL, HOMŒOPATHIC
has removed to corner Ash and
over Pfunder's Drug Store entrance
Office hours—From 10 to 12 A. M., 1 to
6 to 8:30 P. M.

NOTICE.

DURING MY ABSENCE FROM
Mr. JAMES STEEL of Portland
the only person authorized to act
the transaction of business in Oregon
ington Territory. J. B. MONT
February 18 1878

NOTICE

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED
late firm of Hacheney &
requested to call at once and
accounts unsettled March 5, will
in the hands of a Collector.
HACHENEY &
Portland, Feb. 20, 1878.

S. L. STONE

Corner of First and Ash

Importer and Jobber of

Oranges, Limes, Lemons, Nuts,
Canned Goods, Broadway
Candies, (very popular). Fig
Finest Brands CIGARS AND

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OFFICE—Lemline's Cigar Store,
& Speck's. Washing promptly
satisfaction guaranteed.

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A. H. JOHNSO

Stalls 26, 27 and 28 Central
Dealer in all kind

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Highest Price paid for all kinds

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Drayage, per ton.
Storage and Forwarding, per
A large Fire-Proof Warehouse for
Also, dealer in
DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, GR
Hardware and
GENERAL MERCHAND
(Established in 1863)
Mark Goods, care J. H. K. U
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Importers, Manufacturers & Wholesale

BOOTS, SHOES, RUBBERS &

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PORTLAND, OR.

The Daily Oregonian.

THURSDAY MORNING, FEB. 28 1878.

CITY.

Refused to Disgorge.—A lady while walking along Oak street yesterday afternoon having occasion to take her handkerchief out of her pocket, dropped $1 50 in silver on the sidewalk. She did not observe her loss and passed on A Chinaman named Ah Bung who was walking behind saw the coin fall and quickly picking it up put it in his pocket Luckily the whole proceedings had been observed by a man who was standing in the doorway of a butcher shop He called to the lady and asked if she had lost anything She felt in her pocket and, missing the money replied that she had lost a dollar and a half The man pointed out the Chinaman and said that he had picked the money up When asked to return the coin John denied all knowledge of it and refused to disgorge He was handed over to the custody of an officer and marched off to jail Finding himself in the lockup, Ah Bung magnanimously offered to refund the money but the proposition came a little too late The case will be tried in police court to day

Stabbed with a File.—A stabbing affair took place yesterday at the glue manufactory of Mr. D. Metzger which came near resulting fatally Two Chinamen employed at the factory engaged in an altercation, when one picked up an umbrella and struck the other over the head. The Celestial thus assaulted became greatly enraged and grasping a file which was lying near, struck viciously at his adversary with the instrument The sharp end which fits into the handle struck the Chinaman in the back, just below the lower portion of the shoulder blade The point penetrated the flesh to the depth of an inch or more and inflicted a very painful wound After stabbing his adversary, the Chinaman walked out and went home The Celestial who was stabbed was laid out on a mattress, but soon was able to get up and walk away He bled profusely for a little time, but the hemorrhage was soon staunched No arrest has been made, the injured Celestial refusing to prosecute his countryman

Larceny by Bailee.—A man named Sullivan hailing from Washington county was arrested yesterday morning by Officer Daniels and Deputy Sheriff Anderson of that county. Sullivan, it appears, is charged with the crime of larceny by bailee The offense, it is alleged, was committed in Washington county. After the commission of the theft, Sullivan came to Portland intending to "jump the state" Deputy Sheriff Anderson having been apprised of his movements came to this city Tuesday. Yesterday morning in company with Daniels Anderson watched the steamers in hopes of capturing his man Fortune smiled on his efforts, for just a few moments before the down river boat left the wharf, the officers had the satisfaction of seeing Sullivan walk on board He was arrested and taken to the city jail, and in custody of the deputy sheriff escorted to Hillsboro on the afternoon train

The Grace Darling.—This ship the total loss of which, with all her crew is more than probable, has, for some years past, been in the coal and lumber trade between Puget Sound and San Francisco She was a wooden ship of 1042 tons register, 285 feet in length and 23 feet depth of hold, built at Boston in 1854, repaired and specially surveyed in 1860 and remetalled in June, 1870. Being so old, and coal laden, if in the terrible storm described by Captain Manson of the Idenation, the *Grace Darling* sprang a serious leak, it is idle to hope that she escaped sinking as her crew appears to have been too few in number to have done more than manage her in ordinary weather. There are other and older vessels in the same trade now which make successful voyages only by mere accident.

At Walla Walla.—Says a Walla Walla paper: "Rev. T. L. Eliot, a celebrated Unitarian minister and great traveler preached a very interesting sermon last Sunday night, to a large, and, indeed, intelligent congregation. While we differ with the Rev. gentleman as with all Unitarians, we must admit that Mr Eliot is a fine reasoner and eloquent speaker, and although he emphasizes very mildly, he is capable of keeping a vast audience or congregation perfectly spell bound His lecture at Athena last Monday night was a success To appreciate it one must go and hear him and see the beautiful historic scenes which he presents and describes, We saw it and that night dreamed of Greece."

Going to Vancouver.—A portion of the Ward dramatic company, (or, at least, members formerly belonging to that gentleman's troupe,) propose to inaugurate soon a short theatrical season at Brant's Hall, Vancouver The members composing the company are Mr. J. M. Ward, Mr. Wade, R. C. White, Fred. Gero, J. H. Robinson, Miss Lottie Wade, Mrs. Trengove, Mr Trengove, Miss Annie Gregue, Mr. Stewart and J Kemb e. The company will open in "Inshavogue" next Monday evening. Performances will be given during the week, with a nightly change of programme. The hall is being fitted up and new scenery painted

Number of Arrests.—One hundred and three arrests have been made by the police thus far the present month, classified as follows: Violation of ordinance 984, 1, assault and battery, 2, larceny 6; violation of ordinance 2073, 1; drunk and disorderly, 65, violation of ordinance 2116, 3, abusive language, violation of ordinance 475, 1, vagrancy, assault with a dangerous weapon violation of ordinance 1431, 1, gambling, giving liquor to prisoner, 1; held as a witness, carrying concealed weapon, 1, high way robbery, 3, driving on the sidewalk, 3, selling liquor to minors, 2.

Correct Statement.—The postmaster at the Dalles sends the following: "In The Oregonian of Wednesday an item appears that would lead the community to think that the Oregonians were either stolen out of this office or were kept by the postmaster I will therefore state, as you already know that neither the Daily or Weekly Oregonian comes by mail but are brought on the steamboat and left on the wharf boat where the subscribers get them" This statement by the postmaster is a correct one The paper does not go in the mail because the mail closes before it is printed.

Bible Society Meetings.—The annual business meeting of the Oregon Bible Society will be held at the Congregational church at 11 o'clock, A. M. Friday, March 1st prox. The election of officers for the ensuing year and other important business is to be transacted. A full attendance desired The anniversary meeting will be held at the same place on Sabbath evening, March 3, at 7.30 P M

Snake River Falling.—Yesterday the *Almota* reached Wallula at 6 o clock P M on her return trip from Lewiston Capt. Baughman telegraphs that Snake river is falling and that the water is too low at the present stage to navigate with safety The *Almota* will return to Celilo and lay up until there is a rise in Snake river.

No News.—As yet the telegraph has failed to report the arrival at San Francisco of the steamer *City of Chester* She sailed from this port last Thursday afternoon, and should have arrived at her destination the first of the present week. No mention is made in the dispatches when the steamers will sail from San Francisco

Lecture.—This evening Mrs Foltz will lecture at Good Templar s Hall on "Equality of Sex." Her former efforts have been received with favor, and doubtless a good audience will be in attendance to-night

POLICE COURT NOTES.

Geo. Forrest, vagrant, discharged Martin P Kelly, lying drunk on the street $5 unpaid. Edward Leech, assault and battery $15 unpaid.

On and after March 1st go to Gus Miller, The Humorist, Stark street between First and Second, for the first choice lot of Gambrinus brewery lager beer Also Weinhard s beer on draft.

Abell, the photographer, is doing a land office business, His work is splendid

Masquerade suits made to order at Mrs Ach's.

THE ENTERTAINMENT

The announcement that an entertainment would be given last night at New Market theater, by the ladies connected with the Episcopal church for the benefit of Good Samaritan Orphanage had the effect to draw together an immense audience long before the hour for the entertainment to commence, the hallway and portals of our fashionable Temple of Thespis were thronged with anxious crowds desirous of securing seats When the doors were at length thrown open the crowd poured in until every seat in the dress circle and parquette was occupied The boxes were filled to overflowing and chairs had to be placed along the aisles to accommodate the throng Even the gallery was more than half filled A more fashionable and cultivated audience is rarely seen assembled in New Market theater than was disclosed when the curtain was rung up The first feature on the programme was the "Mother Goose Melodies" represented *en tableau* which was well received and created no little fun particularly among the juvenile portion of the audience Mrs E Corbett next appeared and sang "The Last Rose of Summer," with much feeling and pathos Following this came a tableux, Lady Jane Grey Miss Leonora Witherell appeared before the footlights and gave a most excellent recitation from "King John" This lady displayed elocutionary and dramatic talents of a high order She was recalled and favored he audience with a serio comic recitation "Wax Works" came next on the programme, in which James A. Smith Esq assumed very successfully the role of "Mynheer Van Hoffendorfer" in which he was ably assisted by his son "Hans," a character personated by Mr T B Trevett, The exhibition of the wax (?) figures and the Teutonic explanations given in each instance were very mirth provoking "Almsgiving" a tableau followed Miss Lamberson was then introduced and sang quite acceptably a solo entitled "The Return" One of the most attractive features of the whole entertainment was the "Living Pictures" Miss Lillie Murray favored the audience with a recitation which was rendered in a manner reflecting much credit on the elocutionary ability of that very charming young lady, and evoked a storm of applause But the real gem of the evening was the piano solo performed by Mr Schwabe, the brilliant young pianist He rendered the "Carnival de Venice" with its intricate variations, with a dash, finish and degree of taste charming. In response to prolonged calls Mr Schwabe appeared before the curtain and acknowledged the compliment Following the solo came two tableaux "Bluebeard" and "Returning from College" Concluding the evening's entertainment came the amusing farce, "Poor Pillicody," in which appeared Col McCraken in the title *role*, Miss Lillie Murray as Mrs Pillicody "Mrs Henry McCraken as "Sarah" the servant girl, Mr T B Trevett as "Captain Scuttle" and Miss — — as "Mrs. Scuttle" The farce was well mounted and played with a degree of vivacity and spirit which would not be discreditable to professionals. It provoked great merriment, and had the effect to send the large audience away in excellent humor Justice and candor compel us to say that the whole affair was managed excellently, and the entertainment was quite enjoyable throughout notwithstanding it lasted nearly two hours. To those under whose management the entertainment was given much credit is due for their noble and disinterested labors in behalf of a most praiseworthy and deserving institution—the Orphanage The proceeds are very substantial and will fill almost to repletion a depleted treasury

CORRESPONDENCE.

The following correspondence explains itself

PORTLAND Feb 26 1878

Captain Jack Crawford—Appreciating fully your able and energetic efforts to produce your dramas of Life on the Plains during the past week, and being aware of the circumstances which prevented you from doing so in a proper manner, we the undersigned citizens of Portland, and late comrades in arms, would most respectfully tender to you a complimentary benefit, to take place when and where you may deem most advisable, and we pledge ourselves to do all in our power to make said benefit a success

J A Chapman,
Van B DeLashmutt,
H. B Oatman,
Geo C Sears,
C W. Knowles
Jas. Buchtel,
Ward S Stevens,
W H Bell L S A,
C R. Woods, U S A
J E Evans
H. C Woods U S A
A. Zieber,
John D Geoghegan
H. T Babbitt U S A.

PORTLAND, Feb 27 1878

J A Chapman, Van DeLashmutt, H B Oatman and Others—*Gentlemen* Your letter of the 26th inst is at hand and in reply I can only say that I accept your kind offer and thank you with all my heart I would name Tuesday evening, March 5th, as the time, and Masonic Temple the place for said benefit I would also state that a host of volunteers, including the very best talent in the city have kindly volunteered to assist me on that occasion and I shall therefore be enabled to give to those who may favor me with their presence an entertainment worthy of your patronage. Again thanking you, I remain your most obedient servant.

J W Crawford, "Capt Jack"

THAT OBSTINATE JUROR.

PORTLAND Feb 27 1878

To the Editor of the Oregonian

In this morning's issue of your valuable paper is an article headed, "An Obstinate Juror" Allow me to remark that in the description of the case there are several mistakes I will name particularly two The case was for assault with "revolver pistols," and not larceny, the other, that several of the jurors took a large stick of wood, and, placing it upon the top of the stove proceeded to argue with,' etc, etc This is a pure fabrication,—no such thing happened During the whole night I was awake while some were apparently asleep. There was plenty of talk which you have *mildly* described as scolding but which *I* will refrain from describing

I conclude by saying that if you were in the situation of the obstinate juror you would console yourself on having practised the virtue of patience under the greatest personal insults that words can express but a quiet conscience makes amends for all

THE OBSTINATE JUROR

WEATHER REPORT

Received at the United States signal office in this city, February 26, 1878

AT 4.32 A. M

Station.	*Bar*	*Ther*	*Wind*	*Rain*	*Remarks*
Portland	29 71	41	[illegible]	04	Clear
Olympia	29 58	43	S	61	Lt Rain
Roseburg	29 67	38	S	01	Clear
Red Bluff	29 77	44	SE	01	Lt Rain
Sacramento	29 81	41	SE	00	Fair
AT 1 32 P M					
Portland	29 72	54	N	00	Clear
Roseburg	29 81	50	N W	00	Cloudy
Red Bluff	29 74	47	S	40	Lt Rain
Sacramento	29 76	48	S	14	Lt Rain
RECEIVED AT 7:57 P M					
Portland	29 750	45	N W	00	Clear
Olympia	29 7 0	42	[illegible]	00	Clear
Roseburg	29 720	48	SW	01	Lt Rain
Red Bluff	29 760	46	S	07	Cloudy
Sacramento	29 780	47	SE	16	Cloudy

PERSONAL

Mr L White for many years a prominent merchant of Portland sailed on the *Elder* yesterday for the eastern states and Europe His family accompany him Mr I White will remain here to attend the business of the firm of L & I White

SOCIAL EVENTS.

This evening the members of Mystic Lodge Knights of Pythias will hold their first ball at Turn Halle Members of the order are expected to appear in fatigue dress The committees have made every necessary arrangement to insure the success of the event and a pleasant time may be confidently anticipated by those who attend

Call and see Frank Barnes to-day He has something good for your appetite

Barnes of the Central Market has added materially to his arrangements Call

Ruching from 12 cents per yard upwards at the cheap store Mrs Chas Dichner s 126 First street opposite Oregon Furniture S les room

Silk velvets satin velveteens and silks in all colors, suitable for masquerade suits also gold and silver trimmings at Mrs Ach s corner Morrison and Second streets

Gem pictures 24 for 50 cents and all other sizes in proportion Children s pictures taken in one second Gallery opposite postoffice, Portland Branch of Wing & Allen S F

BRIEF NOTES

In the city of w

To morrow will Man

Turn Halle—K of P ball

Oro Fino theater looks nifty

The grand jurors are still busy as beavers

Gen J. I. Miller was in this city yesterday

Dress rehearsal of the Portland Minstrels

Dan Foster and Vic Previtt are still sojourning at Honolulu

The steamer *Idaho* will not sail hence until Saturday evening at 10 o clock

The entertainment given last evening was successful beyond expectation

Miss Eugenie Rosenheim formerly of Portland is visiting friends in this city

Regular semi annual meeting of the Alpha Society at the Taylor street M E church last night

We are pleased to state that ex Gov Curry is rapidly convalescing He will shortly be able to appear as of yore

The fine Chickering piano used last evening at the entertainment at New Market Theater was kindly furnished by Mr G R Hamilton

Chas Rosenbaum formerly book keeper for I White & Co left on the steamer for his old home in Cincinnati Ohio after some years absence

Charles Hunt a sailor was arrested Tuesday taken before Commissioner Lamson and committed to jail for deserting the ship *Garibaldi* He will have his trial at the next sitting of the U S district court which will be next Tuesday

CASCADES ITEMS

A correspondent at the above place writing under date of the 27th inst sends the following

The trees are budding out and residents anticipate an early spring

About 500 head of excellent looking sheep passed through here last week destined for the upper country

Mr Jos E Smith has been compelled to suspend work on Tooth Bridge on account of the sudden rise in the river

Mr S M Hamilton who has been confined to his room for some days, we are happy to announce is able to be around again

An engine equipped with all the latest improvements and thirteen miles of steel rails are en route from New York for this place

The youngest daughter of Robt Reed Esq aged two years and six months died last Sunday from the effects of a cold contracted several months ago

Frank Warren of Portland paid our burg a flying visit a few days ago and assures us that work will be resumed at the salmon canning establishment at Warrendale as soon as the season warrants

Frank Percey Esq with a gang of twenty men is pushing work for ward as rapidly as possible on the O R R Harry McCortney formerly of the N P R R is chief surveyor and expects to have the road located in a few weeks

Jas Kelly not the old Democratic war horse has about twenty Chinamen cutting wood at Government Slide Ira Dodson also has about forty Chinamen cutting wood at Warrendale for the O S N Co Capt Foster formerly of the Stark street ferry of your city boats the wood in barges to his place

PASSENGER LIST.

At 5 o clock last evening the steamer *Geo W Elder* sailed from this port for San Francisco with the following passengers

Geo Steele,
B Blomaur
M Josephson,
S Ackerman,
L White & fmly,
A Briggs & wife
S H Friendly,
E E Moore,
S Rosenblatt & boy,
Lt C F Humphrey
J C Isaacs,
M Jacobs
G H Burk
J F D Wrinkle
Miss Hayward
Chas. Rosenbaum
Miss A Osborne,
Miss Elliot,
E W Whipple,
Mrs L E Knowlton,
Mrs W Moore,
L Wordman,
W R Rhinehart
Geo Adams,
L Siebenhaur
Wm Felloon,
Wm Dalton,
A Goldsmith,
M H Cassidy
J D McCully,
O H Meusdorffer & fy,
Sherbrick Norris,
W Van Vactor,
J Harris
F H Lewis
A Waldman,
J R Carr
Dr J S Giltner,
Miss Lewis
Miss J D Bragg
T O Hendrick
G Bitman
Miss L Bettman
J F Vollum,
T Quinn,
I G Kline
Gardner Elliot,
L White & fmly
Mrs Gen T J McKenny,
Henry Rosenfeld,
Mrs E W Whipple
Mr Elliot,
M Rosenblatt
Mrs N Barbin,
Chas Velling
Chas Grosse,
J Stafford,
H B Farnham
Geo Sterrit,
Wm Wagner
Geo W Weidron,
R S Battelle,
Jas A Hunter
W B Alair,
Wm Wadhams
W B Scott
Mrs Smith,

THE COURTS.

WEDNESDAY, February 27, 1878.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—SHATTUCK J

Bills vs James—Decree of partition of real estate

Easter vs Easter Cause submitted without argument.

The grand jury presented three bills of indictment.

State of Oregon vs Ah Jack—Verdict of guilty of petty larceny, defendant fined $65, and in default to be imprisoned in the county jail for forty days

State of Oregon vs Ah Jack and Ah Gang—Verdict of guilty and Friday set for passing sentence.

State of Oregon vs Andrew A Little—Defendant arraigned and plea of not guilty entered, C Beal appointed by the court to defend

State of Oregon vs William Martin and W H Bell—Defendants arraigned and plea of not guilty entered, E Mendenhall appointed to defend

Higly vs Camp Creek G & S M Co—Judgment on the verdict

Jane Glass vs Luelling & Baird—Judgment on the verdict.

James Reed vs James Cummings et al—Default and judgment

John Wagonblast, a juror excused for the term

L W Gill and a juror excused until next Monday.

Ingersoll's Characteristic Style

[From his Recent Lecture on Ghosts]

Sir Thomas More said "If you give up witches you must give up the Scriptures." and I think he was right I don t mean that you must not read the book but read it with reason on its throne Only last year the governor of Minnesota appointed a day of fasting and prayer, to see if some power would not kill the grasshoppers or send them into some other state Timothy Dwight president of Yale College, preached a sermon against vaccination because he argued if a man was foreordained to have the smallpox it was imprudent to defeat the will of the Almighty with this trick of vaccination. If the cholera should visit this country to-day we would have a day of fasting and prayer to see if it could not be stopped In the olden time people thought that every disease was a weapon from the armory of God only to be averted by prayer Nowadays we know that you can't cure the ague with prayer but with Peruvian bark In the olden time people believed what the priests told them Now we read history in the light of science and when we read that Solomon had 30,000 chariots of war, when we know that he had not a road in all his empire that you could run a wheel barrow over without breaking your neck we begin to doubt if he had quite as many chariots as 30 000 There are Jews in New York to day whose wealth is greater than the value of all Palestine, and if the Jews of to day had the rewriting of the Bible to day they would make it a much better book in some parts than it is

One of the speakers in the New Hampshire Democratic state convention inveighed bitterly against the vast system of moneyed corporations in the shape of national banks that is preying on the substance of the people The delegates applauded him to the echo and then nominated a national bank cashier and stockholder for governor of the state

A letter to the Port Townsend *Argus* says there is much activity among the people on San Juan and Lopez islands Farmers are busily employed The Catholics are building a church on San Juan island and the lumber for a Presbyterian church is on the ground

When you want to get cheap and substantial furniture go to Edwards & Bingham Second street between Morrison and Yamhill

For mantels, cradles, lits and racks of all kinds at lowest prices go to Mrs Hutchinson s 12 First street opposite Oregon Furniture sale room Send stamp for price lists

Mrs B A Owens M D Office and residence east side First street between Yamhill and Taylor Special attention given to Women and Children complaints Also gives Medicated Vapor Baths combined with Electricity, in treating Rheumatism and Chronic Diseases.

Dr Adams Medical and Surgical Institute at Hood River is now open Chronic diseases of every description are being treated with astonishing results. Do not throw away money on experiments, but go to Hood River and get cured Board and treatment per week $20 board without treatment $8 invariably in advance.

THE DEATH OF NERO

[From Good Words

Nero wandered out into the streets of Rome knocked at the doors of friends none would answer or let him in He came back to his bedroom called for Spiculus the gladiator to kill him but Spiculus was gone "What also Je to Epaphroditus his secretary who has now joined him have I neither friend or foe?" and he rushed out again to throw himself into the Tiber but his courage failing him, and his reason growing clear once more in the face of appalling calamity he wished for some quiet place where he might consider his strange and sudden position and collect his thoughts for death With his head muffled up and covering his face with a handkerchief dressed only in a tunic with an old soiled cloak thrown over his shoulder he trudged along bar foot in the gloom of the early twilight accompanied by Phaon Sporus and Epaphroditus As these four slunk out of the Nomentan gate together like common wayfaring men they could hear the soldiers in the Prætorian camp on the right cursing Nero the beast and hailing Galba as father of his country They are in pursuit of Nero said a man as he passed them Any news in the city about Nero? asked another There was no time to spare They found him a broken down horse which he mounted and they hurried on At last they reached the villa of Phaon parched with thirst the emperor lapped up some water with his hands from a running tank with the bitter jest This is Nero's distilled water He crept quietly into the house on all fours through a hole in the wall and threw himself on the first mattress prostrate with hunger misery and fatigue Then he ordered a grave to be dug before his eyes for he refused to fly He bade them to pave the pit with marble and weeping theatrically he prepared surrounded by his only remaining friends to play his last act What an Artist is now about to perish! he exclaimed but ere the words left his lips a dispatch from Rome arrived, which he snatched out of Phaon's hands He read it and shuddered He had been condemned by the senate to be beaten to death and dragged by the heels and flung into the Tiber Seizing two daggers he felt their points Greek verses occurred to him, and he began to recite He begged Sporus to set up a wail for him—to kill him—to kill himself first At this moment the tramping of horses and clash of armed men were heard below He broke out in a verse from the *Iliad* The noise of swift heeled steeds assail my ear. In another moment he would be taken alive Come then courage man! he cried and feebly pushed the point of the dagger into his throat But his nerve was gone and Epaphroditus came to his help and pressed it home The guards burst in and would have seized him Is this your fidelity? he murmured and expired with staring eyes, to the terror of all who beheld him It was his last pose and as the end of such a life it could not have been outdone Is this your fidelity? He had never made a better comedian writes M Renan Nero uttering a melancholy plaint over the wickedness of the age and the disappearance of good faith and virtue! Let us applaud as the drama is ended and the curtain falls Once in history O Nature with a thousand masks, thou hast had the wit to find an actor worthy of such a role

Russian Conditions of Peace

[From London Fun

1 The Black Sea to become a Russian lake whilst the White Sea is also to be changed to a Russian pink madder

2 The Turkish ironclads to become Russian property and all necessary repairs to put them into thorough fighting order to be provided for by a special pro rata subscription to be made by the English holders of Turkish bonds

3 The editors and proprietors of the *Daily Telegraph* and *Pall Mall Gazette* to be banished to Siberia

4 Dr E. A Freeman to be created emperor of Bulgaria with the Rev Malcolm McColl as his exarch

5 Turkey to pay Russia one hundred and fifty milliards the latter power to hold Constantinople till the above sum is paid

6 The sultan to live at Brousa on his allowance, and send around no more Hatts

7 The well known aperient drug to be henceforth known as Russia rhubarb and Turkish morocco to be done away with in the interests of Russia leather

8 The Turkish parliament to be sold in one lot to P T Barnum, and removed *en masse* to his museum in New York, for exhibition as a constitutional curiosity

9 Gen Skobeleff to be made Khedive of Egypt, and the Suez canal closed to all but Russian vessels

10 Greece, Servia, Montenegro and Roumania to become Russian tributaries, with power to add to their number

11 Lord Beaconsfield to walk to St Peters burg, clothed in a sheet of the *Daily Telegraph*, and do penance before the czar

12 The czar to determine for himself what shall be known henceforth as the continent of Russia

TO THE PEOPLE OF OREGON.

Dr Souville Mathieu the eminent French physician whose wonderful cures have appeared in our columns, will benefit the people of Walla Walla W T and vicinity with his wonderful instrument called The Paris Spirometer which we know has cured several hundreds in our state That instrument conveys medicated inhalations direct to the seat of disease That wonderful instrument is a blessing to mankind and a credit to his name We recommend the Doctor very highly to the afflicted The Doctor will be in Walla Walla a few days only

Dr R. F Price, 129 First Street, Portland, Oregon

Dr R F Price graduate of a German university devotes special attention to the cure of chronic diseases" whatever their nature may be, particularly those of a *delicate, complicated or obstinate* character Bad effects of *youthful follies* quickly cured *Manhood* restored *Prompt relief for ladies out of health Diplomas* and *testimonials* open for inspection *No flattery!* No quackery! No deception!

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Talk of Father Mesplie in Washington Post

What do you think of the Quaker policy?

Well I do not approve of it There were the Fort Hall Indians which were once under my charge transferred to the Methodists. Those Indians now travel five hundred miles to see a priest Besides, we went out there at our own expense without receiving subsidies from the government It is this government and which is making all the trouble men go there without heart in the work I came on to Washington in 1871 to try to get that mission back but the secretary of the interior said he could do nothing that the Methodists had spread throughout that region and their demands are very pressing

Under this system how many missions or reservations are under the charge of the Catholics?

We have now about ten different tribes under our care which includes the Sioux the Umatillas the Flatheads and the Colville Indians We have about 47 priests engaged among the Indians besides a large number of sisters We have established ourselves in Salt Lake City and are very kindly treated there

Is the feeling of hostility to the government quite general among the Indians now?

Yes The Indians feel very sorely the removal of Chief Joseph and that with other causes of grievance has engendered a feeling of bitterness against the whites which awaits only the favorable moment to show itself The coming spring will see Sitting Bull across the line, and the Indians will gladly rally around him The trouble is the government does not keep troops enough out there Why the Indians seeing only a small company of forty five men near them, regard the army as a mere plaything and despise it This is what crippled Gen Howard Oh! I did not mean to speak of him I find that people want me to talk about him so as to confirm their opinions The truth is Father Mesplie continued General Howard was at first deceived by the Indians but afterward, with his small and scanty numbers, Napoleon I could not have conducted the campaign more effectively I have long thought that if the Indians were treated fairly by the whites we would have no trouble with them But they are cheated and ill used by the very agents of the government though uneducated men, who want to make all the money they can out of their position

His wife caught him with his arms around the hired girl s neck but his courage even in this trying extremity never forsook him I suspected some one of stealing the whisky on the preserves Jane for some time and you know her breath would have told if she was the guilty party

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Is rich with roses;
Their tender breath
Has filled the air.
I stand alone,
The world reposes;
The wind's sweet music
Sounds far from me;
The brook runs on;
I think of thee.

With heavy thought
I look around me,
So faint and tired,
Half sick of tears.
In hopeless chains
My fate hath bound me,
By love's hand wrought.
Ah! never more
Shall peace surround me,
So vainly sought!

All, all is still,
The endless yearning
That stirs my heart
Grows high as heaven,
Too vast to fill,
Yet ever burning;
Night cometh down,
Sleep's footsteps creep,
Heart, thou alone
Must wake to weep!

—*Mary Ange De Vere in N. Y. Evening Post.*

DUCK BEACH'S LUCK.

"Now there were a chap I were shipmates with once, of the name of Duck Beach; which 'Duck' weren't his name as I don't remember, but 'Duck' because of his bein' such a chap for to swim, and never know'd by no other name, except onto the articles, which I don't know what it were, bein' always 'Duck' to is for'ard, and 'Beach' to the officers. Well, sir, that chap w s a picture of good luck, I hasn't a doubt, not knowin' but, believin', that when he were born his mother had as easy a time as could be expected, and he had the measles and hoopin' cough lighter than ordinary, and so continued on through life, with the wind always dead aft. I've know'd that chap, sir, knocked off a top-sail yard in a hard gale of wind. Most people under such circumstances would either have come down on deck and smashed themselves to pieces or else gone overboard and been drownded, but whatever do he do but land in the slack of the mainsail which were hauled up ready for furlin, and, taking his knife out o' his pocket, he cuts some steps in the sail and goes up onto the yard, ist as good as ever he were.

"He were a good lookin' chap were Duck, and there were seldom a day in Liverpool that the landlady didn't stand the beer for Duck, which she never didn't for nobody else as didn't have his luck.

"I lost sight of Duck, sir, for about a year, arter bein' shipmates along of him for a matter o' five or six Liverpool v'yages, and I come upon him in New Orleans one mornin' lookin' like he'd been dragged through purgatory and beat with a soot-bag.

"'Hello, Tom!' says he.

"'Why, my lad,' says I, 'what's amiss?'

"'Have you the price of a dram?' says he, 'for I'm clean broke.'

"'Of course I has,' says I.

"'It's my luck,' says Duck, and so it were. Well, we goes in to a place and has a matter of three or four drinks a talkin' over old times. Duck tells me as he'd been a black-birdin'—it weren't so disrespectable then as it got to be afterwards—and had landed two cargoes of niggers on the coast o' Cuba, and had landed in New Orleans some six months afore with a thousand dollars in gold in his belt, which of course were his luck, and since that time had been sprayin' away on all taut ropes, till that blessed mornin' when he found himself dead broke, and, of course, it were immediately his blessed luck to come allwart me as had jist been paid off and had enough to carry both of us through two whole days.

"Of course, me bein' so chummed together, had to ship in the same ship, which were done for us by Duck Wash, a ship [illegible] master there she lay, the *Aramintha*, for Liverpool; we goin' aboard of her at 10 o'clock at night, in less than a week after first meetin'.

"Arter we got stright and to sea all right, we found that there was on board of that ship a couple of passengers—a old man nigh gone into a consumption, with a young wife as pretty as a picture and as spry as a kitten. Of course, the old man had plenty of dollars, else he never could have fastened onto such a craft as she, and as long as he lived I'll say that much for her, she were dreadful kind and attentive to him; but when off the Tortugases the old man and Duck Beach went aft for to sew him up, we both agreed she were better off without him, and neither of us believed she were a skin on for anything but form's sake.

"'Them's regulation tears she's a sheddin,' says Duck to me, arter we'd got the old chap done up beautiful in brand new No. 1 canvas, with lead to his feet, very snug indeed, 'and there she is now a widder as a man might be proud to go to the devil for. If I hadn't spent that fortin' of mine, Tom'—he alluded to the money he'd made a black-birdin'—'I'd buy a suit o' long togs and a claw-hammer coat, and I'd go for her sure.'

"The old man read the service beautiful over the old chap, never skippin' a word, I don't believe, the ship bein' hove to and all hands mustered into the lee gangway, the pretty little widder a standin' by the old man and sobbin' delightful just at the proper time, when the old man kind of paused like in the readin'. At the words, 'we therefore commit his body to the deep,' me and Duck Beach, as was kind of actin' as undertakers, gently tilted up the grating on which we had him lashed, and he slipped off as easy as any man ever done and went down feet first, [illegible] as straight as a deep-sea lead.

"Altogether, it were as pleasant a berryin' as ever I seen, and one which any man might be proud on. If he'd a been the same age as the widder, and she'd a loved him as hard as a stone, I'm sure she couldn't have helped bein' pleased with the way we done things; but, bein' as he were old enough to be her grandfather, I feel sure she must have been delighted.

"Some chap had telled him that sea air would do him good, but whether the widder had stood to with that chap or not I never know'd.

"It were, I s'pose, about a week arter that, havin' had light winds and dead ahead, that we was headin' over for the [illegible] on the port tack a carryin' main-to'gallant sail over single reefs. It were a fine sunshiny afternoon, and the widder were on deck, as she generally were in fine weather, Duck Beach bein' at the wheel. There were a heavy bank of cloud to the east'ard, and all indications of a hard squall from that quarter, which bein' reported to the old man, he come up and ordered all hands for to tack ship. We'd swung the main [illegible] the head braces, when the squall [illegible] onto us with wind and rain. However it happened, I don't know [illegible] in the confusion; we had to [illegible] and take care of the main-to'gallant sail, and with the wind a roarin' and the rain a beatin' down, it were difficult at first to tell what the old man wanted, but finally we found out that the widder were overboard and Duck Beach had gone after her. I suppose the way it were, the main yard not bein' sharp up, were a playin' a bit and [illegible] slackin' in the weather [illegible] of these had caught the widder's [illegible] somehow, and when the [illegible] of the yard hauled it taut it [illegible] her and flung her over the rail. Duck Beach seen her and let go the wheel and gone arter her, and the old man, who were the only other person aft, were busy to leeward a lettin' go the mizzen-topsail halyards, and he didn't [illegible] till they'd been gone a couple of minutes and he found there were nobody at the wheel. He didn't think then that the widder were gone overboard; he thought she had gone below out of the rain, and suspicioned that Duck had run forward for [illegible] souwester and pea jacket; and so it came to pass that it were minutes or so afore we know'd that Duck and the widder were gone. All this time the wind had been blowin' heavier and the ship had gone a long distance from the place where she were tacked and there were little chance of savin' 'em. Howsever, we wore her round, and stood back in our old wake, and when we thought she were about back where she came from, we hove her to and got out a boat; but after huntin' round for a hour in the drivin' rain the search was giv' up, and we hoisted in the boat and went sadly on about our business.

"The chaps for'ard was sorry about Duck, and we also grieved mildly over the widder, but of course as she didn't belong to our crowd [illegible] of the ship it didn't come so home to us as the loss of Duck did, his goin' meanin' one less wheel and one less lookout in the watch.

"Well, we went on to Liverpool, and the old man reported the deaths of his passengers at the consulate, and had their dunnage all sealed up for shipment home.

"A couple of year arter that as I were goin' up by the postoffice in New Orleans, a regular swell sort of chap stopped me with, 'God bless my soul, if this ain't my old shipmate!' Well, sir, I looks at the chap, and thought his face seemed familiar. I'm blessed if I could place him till he hails agin, and says he, 'Why, don't you know your old shipmate, Duck Beach?' Sure enough, when I come to look agin, it were he an' no mistake, but so rigged off in longshore toggery that it were no wonder I hadn't know'd him. He had on a funnel hat and a stand-up shirt collar, and his mustache were waxed till the ends stuck out each side of his mouth like stunsail booms. Below this was a fancy shirt with a big breastpin stuck into it like a figger head. From out of the pocket of a fancy weskit led a big gold cable, with anchor onto it, and below that were regular swell breeches and shiny boots; and me thinkin' as Duck was long ago at the bottom of the sea, it weren't no wonder as I didn't 'cognize him, he bein' so transmogrified.

"'Come along with me, old feller,' says Duck, 'and we'll have a bite of somethin' to eat and a bottle of wine for old acquaintance sake.' Well, I tried to get shut of him, cause he were so togged off that I felt kind of ashamed to go with him in my plain rig; but he wouldn't have it, not at no price, and he lugs me off to Victor's restaurant, where he seemed to be well known, and gettin' a private room up stairs, he orders us well fed and some wine.

"He were just the same old Duck as ever he were, except for his clothes, and as he sat there eatin' and drinkin' he spun me the yarn of all that had happened to him since I seen him, and the short and long of it were that if it had been anybody but Duck Beach he had jumped overboard into the Gulf stream arter a woman he'd a been drownded sure; but of course Duck weren't, else he wouldn't have been there along of me. He said, when he seen the widder chucked over by the mainbrace he never even stopped arter her afore he stopped to think even, and had her into his arms as soon as she came up. When he seen the ship sailin' away from him he said he felt pretty mad, but there was no help for it, and he set hisself a-tryin' for to keep alive as long as possible. The widder behaved like a trump, Duck said, and got astern of him, just puttin' her hand up to his waistbelt, and steadin' herself so as she weren't more than a feather weight onto him, Duck said. He knowed by the direction of the wind which way the Banks was, and he know'd he weren't more than twenty leagues of 'em, and so set himself the job of swimmin' ashore. As I told you afore, he were one of the greatest swimmers as ever was, which were why 'Duck,' and he just paddled on like a fish, occasionally addressin' a cheerin' word to the widder over his shoulder.

"It were just about five bells when he went overboard; it were just dark when he landed, so he must have been about six hours a swimmin' ashore. The place where he landed were a outlyin' kay on the Bahamy Banks, and uninhabited 'cept by birds. Duck said he were so tired when he got ashore that all he could do were just to lay down on the grass and sleep, and he thinks the widder done likewise, but he said for that first night he were kind of dazed and didn't recollect much about it. In the mornin', though, he woke up hungry as a shark and dry as a fish, and rousin' up he went to see where he were and find some grub. As he went he seen the widder layin' asleep on the sand, 'and blow me,' said Duck, 'if I didn't fust off think she'd slipped her wind and that I'd had all my trouble for nothin'.' Bendin' over her, however, he were rejoiced to find she were peacefully sleepin', and leavin' her there he went on to hunt for water, which fortunately he found in a spring about the center of the kay, and for grub there was lots of mussels and other shell-fish growing on the rocks. Havin' had a square meal, he went back and sat by the widder till she waked up, when he give her her breakfast, after which both of 'em felt first class.

"Duck know'd they wouldn't have to stay there long, as there was plenty of wreckin' vessels always a dodgin' round there, and he told her so, and arter that she were as merry as a cricket, and seemed rather to consider the whole thing a good joke.

"Well, sir, they stayed there two days, and then a wreckin' schooner come along and saw Duck's signals, and sent a boat and took 'em off, carryin' 'em to Nassau, and the consul took charge of the widder and see that Duck were provided for. He know'd the name of the chap we had buried off Tortugases, and were willin' to give the widder all the money she wanted. She had got kind of familiar with Duck, bein' with him so long on the kay, and when she got a passage to New York she insisted on Duck goin' with her, and then of course she got more familiar, and in New York the lawyer there told her she'd better take Duck to New Orleans, so as he could tell about savin' up and launchin' her husband, and by the time all this were done, she'd got to have a kind of hankerin' for Duck, and though he would never have mentioned it for the world, bein' a good sailorman as know'd his place and could keep it, he were dreadfully delighted when she kind of gave him a hint that splicin' would be agreeable to her, and accordin' they were hooked together out of hand. Since then they had been to Europe on what Duck called a tower, and Duck said he'd been happy as a clam at high water. The old chap what we had sewed up off the Tortugases were worth over a million dollars, every cent of which were left to the widder, and all Duck had to do were to help her spend it, which he were a doin' of to the best of his ability; which makes me say agin as there's everythin' in luck."

NERVOUSNESS OF ACTORS.

All great players of genuine feeling and love for their profession experience that indescribable sinking at heart and dryness of palate when appearing for the first time in a new role. No matter of how long standing he may be, every actor whose soul is in his work, and whom want of energy and consequent lack of success have not corrupted, feels a brief moment of uneasiness, even as the oldest soldier trembles on going into action until the first gun is sounded. "I wish," muttered Edward Kean to himself, as he trudged through the wet street to the Old Drury on that great night when he carried the town as Shylock, "I wish I was going to be shot." Macready has vividly depicted his terror on the occasion of his London debut; the child that went to his heart at the call boy's summons, the short quick breath, the throbbing of his heart, the immense effort needed to tread with firmness and composure as he walked the boards for the first time. Mathews the elder, the greatest mimic of all time, is said to be one of the most bashful of men, that he would go a mile out of his way sooner than meet an acquaintance in the street. To come down to our times, Mr. Toole, is confessedly never himself on first night; and we have it on the asservation of keen-eared critics, that on the first evening of "Macbeth" at the Lyceum, Mr. Irving's armor could be heard to rattle in the stalls.—*Dublin University Magazine.*

According to the Indianapolis *Journal* Hendricks has had a rough time of it since he got down off the fence. He had hardly touched the ground before August Belmont bounced him, and since then he has been catching it from all quarters. If he gets back on that top-rail alive he will probably never get down again.

"As to cattle," remarks the Graphic, "the Indians want short horns. As to whisky, long ones."

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, Feb. 27, 1878.

Gold in New York 102.

Legal tenders in Portland—buying 97½, selling, 98½.

Silver Coin—4½ per cent. discount.

In strictly financial matters the movement is not changed in any of its essential features. Interest rates, discounts and exchange continue to rule as at last quotations with a fair volume to the movement for the season and the limited transactions in the general trade market during the last six weeks. Remittances from the interior though still so slow as to cause complaint in some quarters show a slight improvement.

A New York exchange of the 17th says the plethora of idle money in that market continues and the banks find it difficult to employ their balances at the low rates of 4 and 5 per cent. This reflects the dullness of trade and the absence of speculation. Business is now done in the Atlantic cities more nearly upon a cash basis than before for many years.

The new tariff bill meets with great disfavor in New York, particularly the clauses which provide for the taxation of important raw materials of manufacture, and a strong force is being organized to secure its defeat or at least its material modification.

The advent of milder weather though causing a livelier movement in business circles, cannot materially improve it until the skies shall have remained clear for a sufficient length of time to make out door operations more practicable and travel through the country less unpleasant. There is noticeable, however, during the past few days an increased activity in the local trade, and business men predict that the dullness which has really been almost distressing since the close of the holiday trade is at an end, and for some commodities the demand has shown a marked growth since last week. It is believed general trade will experience a revival quite early in the spring and that the season will be one of more than average activity. The preparations are being made to make it fully in every respect. Buyers of staple dry goods and groceries from the interior are coming forward quite freely to make selections of spring stocks, and importers and wholesale houses are doing a better business already than was expected to be realized during this month.

Real Estate.

Since our last report on this topic transactions have not been numerous or of special importance, judging from the amount of business filed for record. The lethargy prevailing in other departments of trade doubtless has its effect on this, and with the revival of business, which is certainly expected ~~to begin with the spring~~, we may also look for renewed life in the real estate market, and it is thought an advance in prices.

Building operations are likely to be quite extensive the coming season, embracing several large business structures, besides a large number of residences. There is some inquiry for common dwellings, and comfortable but unpretentious houses at a moderate rental are in growing demand, there being but very few such now vacant in the city.

Since our last report the following deeds have been filed for record with the county clerk of this county, the date given being the date of the instrument and not of filing:

Aug. 7, 1877, lot 2 and 3, block 249, Couch's Addition to Portland; consideration $700.

Feb. 15, 1878, undivided one-half lot 1 in block 53, same addition; $730.

Feb. 21, 1878 east half of lots 1 and 2, Caruthers' Addition to Caruthers' Addition, Portland; $250.

——— east half of northeast quarter of sec. 9, township 1 S, R 3 east; $725.

Feb. 19, 1878, ten acres out of the southeast corner of G. Thebes' land claim, in T 1 S, R 1 E; $1500.

Mortgages of the amounts, time and rates of interest as follows have been filed for record since last report: $200 for 8 months at 1 per cent; $300 for 12 months at 1 per cent.; $1,052 for two years at 10 per cent; $283 for 1 year at 1 per cent; $1,000 for 1 year at 1 per cent; $200 for 8 months at 1 per cent.

A number of chattel mortgages have also been filed recently, but as they are in many cases not bona fide transactions, and generally of little importance, we deem their publication unnecessary for business purposes.

Domestic Produce.

Prices in this branch of trade are not improved, the tendency being rather downward than otherwise, but the market to-day shows some increase in the movement induced by the better weather. There are but few lots of wheat offering for sale, and holders generally refuse to accede to the reduced prices offered. Private telegrams from San Francisco agree with our latest telegrams as to the condition of the market there. Wheat quotations are difficult to obtain, as transactions are not of sufficient frequency and magnitude to establish prices. Our figures below embrace the nominal range of bins.

Flour is in liberal supply in the hands of agents of the leading mills of the state, and though current quotations are retained, transactions involving lots of any considerable magnitude, are in buyers' favor. Some parcels of what are called country brands, though nearly equaling the standard extras, have changed hands at $5 25@5 50.

Oats are in moderate request, and only prime white command 50 cents per bushel, and are not readily placed at that figure sacked and delivered. Black and common are quotable at 45c. Hay, mill feed, etc., are plentiful and prices are weak.

Provisions are more active and trade improved in some degree, though prices, which are unchanged show a firmer tone. The demand for local consumption is better and some shipments are ventured in order to lessen the large stocks in some dealers' hands. Dairy products of prime quality are in good request for prime consumption, while common and inferior lots are more abundant and quotable, in the language of a prominent dealer, "at whatever price can be obtained." Eggs have declined to 20 cts per dozen and are dull, except those lots which will bear some warranty of freshness. Potatoes, ripe fruits, etc., show no new features, the trade moving on about as at our last review, at the quotations given below. The reduction in hides, peltry, etc., is maintained with a lessened volume of transactions.

Shipping Intelligence.

The steamship Geo. W. Elder, hence for San Francisco, sailed at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

The steamship Idaho, hence for San Francisco, with freight and passengers, will sail on Saturday, March 2d, at 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

The *Astorian* says: "The ships in line in this harbor Tuesday were the Nereus, La Escocesa, Fiji, Garibaldi, Cochrina, Leading Wind and Martin Scott, all laden and weather bound. The Malpomene and Barracouta are lying below the city, off Fort Stevens.

The schooner Hayes, for San Francisco with lumber from the Knappton mills, went to sea on the 25th.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 27.—Arrived—Bk Villette, Port Madison; bk Gem of the Ocean, Departure Bay; bk Victoria, Burrard Inlet; brig Beacon, Port Discovery; str Colima, Panama; str City of New York Sydney.

Sailed—Str Empire, Coos Bay.

Home Produce Market.

WHEAT—The stagnant condition of trade continues, and both buyers and sellers are keeping out of the market; quotable nominally at $1 80@1 85.

FLOUR—Standard extras are selling in San Francisco at $6 25, and prices for the same, though given here at $6, are in buyers favor. Good country brands quotable at $5 50; superfine $5. Lower grades in little demand.

OATS—The call is not heavy and buyers pay 45c for black and common white, 47½@50 for choice white.

BARLEY—There are very few lots offering and best grades of brewing are held at $1 65. No shipments are being made.

MILL FEED—Supply fair; bran quotable at $22 50 per ton, shorts $30, middlings $33@37 50.

HAY—The market is oversupplied and with continued absence of severe weather prices have declined. Jobbing houses offer $10 per ton for baled timothy, $8 for loose.

POTATOES—Receipts liberal and prices steady, with a range from 50 to 55c per bushel, according to quality and condition.

ONIONS—Market well supplied at $2@1 25 per 100 lbs.

RIPE APPLES—Prices depend entirely upon quality and condition; best varieties for shipping assorted and packed, $1 25@[illegible]; loose lots from wagons, 90c per box.

DRIED APPLES—Demand unimproved; quotable at 6c@[illegible] for sun dried.

DRIED PLUMS—With pits, [illegible]; pitless, 10 @12½ [illegible].

BACON—The demand has improved and stocks are quoted [illegible] 10c for sides; [illegible] for shoulders, and 12½c for hams.

LARD—The supply is ample and the market weak at 10@12½ cents [illegible].

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter, solid, [illegible] brine, 18@20c; choice dairy 25@30c; cheese, quotable at 15@16c [illegible]. Market quiet.

EGGS—The supply is amply to meet the demand, and prices have dropped to 20 cents.

CHICKENS—Moderate receipts are noted and prices steady at $3 50@4 50, according to quality.

HIDES AND FURS—We quote best selected hides at 12½@13c [illegible] culls, [illegible]; green, salted, [illegible]; elk, [illegible] @ lb; deer, 20@25c @ lb for dried, and 50@75 each, green; mink skins, 50@$1 each; otter, $1 each; beaver, 75@$1 [illegible] lb.

Eastern Wool Markets.

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—Wool—Demand for all kinds quiet, prices remain generally unchanged, manufacturers purchasing cautiously, and indifferent about the future. California in fair demand at 14 @22c for fall and 20@35 for spring pulled wool; 30@40 for supes.

San Francisco Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 27.—Wheat—Shipping, $1 90@1 95; milling, $1 95@2 07½.

Barley—Feed, $1 20@1 32½; brewing, $1 45@1 50.

Oats—Feed, $1 35@1 70; milling, $1 60@1 70.

Corn—Large, yellow, $1 47½@1 50; white, $1 50 @1 55; small round, $1 72½@1 75.

Potatoes—$1 10@1 80.

NOTICE.

THERE ARE FUNDS IN THE TREASURY OF the General County Fund of Cowlitz County, W. T., to pay all outstanding orders drawn previous to August 1st, 1874.

S. VESTAL,
Treas. of Cowlitz Co., W. T.

Kalama, W. T., Feb. 14, 1878. 1731

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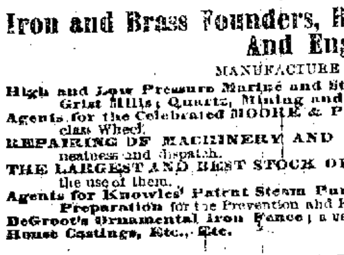

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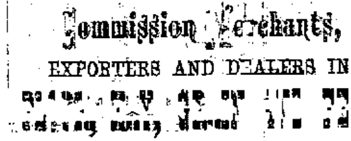

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State Treasurer's Sixth Notice.

TREASURER'S OFFICE,
SALEM, Feb. 15, 1878.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE are funds in the Treasury for the payment of State Warrants classed and numbered as follows:

Warrants of old issue payable from special tax, endorsed prior to Sept. 11, 1874, viz: Nos. 515, 517, 518, 516, 526, 527, 529, 535, 540, 541, 530, 531, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 563, 553, 556, 557, 554, 564, 561, 562, 561, 565, 563, 568, 571, 572, 573, 580, 581.

Warrants of new issue—Nos. 1312, 1314, 1315, 1316, 1317, 1318, 1309, 1311, 1319, 1313, 1293, 1348, 1319, 1310, 1309, 1295, 1303, 1351, 1358, 1354, 1355, 1350, 1011, 1357, 1360, 1362, 1361, 1367, 1369, 1359, 1371, 1370, 1373, 1365, 1374, 1375, 1378, 1380, 1382, 1081, 386, 1385, 1388, 1389, 1390, 1393, 1400, 1401, 1111, 1412, 1415, 1111, 1416, 1420, 1422, 1425, 1427, 1429, 1432, 1351.

Interest on these warrants will cease after the 16th instant.

A. H. BROWN,
State Treasurer.

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State Treasurer's Fifth Notice.

STATE OF OREGON,
TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Salem, February 4, 1878.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE are funds in the Treasury for the payment of State Warrants classed and numbered as follows:

Warrants of old issue, payable from fund derived from special tax, indorsed prior to Sept. 14, 1875, viz: Nos. 471, 475, 468, 495, 506, 507, 508, 492, 493, 494, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 510, 513 and 514.

Warrants payable from general fund, indorsed since Sept. 11, 1876, viz: Nos. 1079, 1234, 1236, 1238, 1242, 1243, 1244, 1246, 1247, 1145, 1248, 1249, 1250, 1252, 1253, 1256, 1261, 1258, 1259, 1262, 1265, 1266, 1277, 1278, 1280, 1281, 1282, 1324, 1325, 1326, 1251, 1331, 1332, 1333, 1335, 1337 and 1812.

Interest on the above Warrants will cease from this date.

A. H. BROWN,
State Treasurer.

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State Treasurer's Seventh Notice.

STATE OF OREGON,
TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Salem, Feb. 21, 1878.

NOTICE is hereby given that there are funds in the Treasury for the payment of State Warrants of old issue, viz: Nos. [illegible] 587, 588, 591, 589, 590, [illegible], 604, 605, [illegible], 607, 608, [illegible] indorsed prior to Sept. 11, 1874, and [illegible] indorsed Nov. 12, 1874.

Interest will cease 25th inst.

All [illegible] 1878, coupons are payable.

A. H. BROWN,
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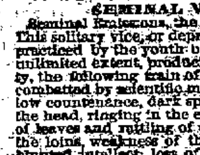

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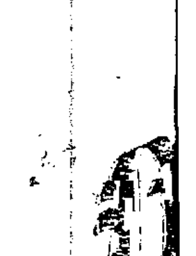

GENERAL NEWS.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.

Effect of the Veto.

[illegible] YORK, Feb. 28.—Gold declined one-[illegible] and governments strengthened on the [illegible] and announcement of the president's veto, and a [illegible] ary movement occurred on the passage [illegible] the veto by the house. The exchange [illegible] before the decision was known.

Lincoln Territory Meeting.

[illegible] DWOOD, D. T., Feb. 28.—A monster mass [illegible] ing was held at Miners' Union Hall in [illegible] City to night in favor of the Lincoln [illegible] tory bill now in congress. A procession, [illegible] led by a band of music and wagon carry-[illegible] speakers, flags, banners and emblems, [illegible] a grand round through Deadwood, Gay-[illegible] Central City, Golden Gate and Lead [illegible] The names of Saunders, Spencer and [illegible] members of congress who champion the [illegible] territory bill, were received with hearty [illegible] ause.

Heavy Failure.

[illegible] ORLEANS, Feb. 28.—John J. Adams & [illegible] wholesale grocers, have suspended; lia-[illegible] about a million and a half.

Encouraging her Congressmen.

[illegible] SVILLE, Feb. 28.—Both branches of the [illegible] ature to-day adopted resolutions instruct-[illegible] congressmen of this state to support and [illegible] every possible way the Texas Pacific [illegible] ad bill.

[illegible] ating with Cubans in New York.

[illegible] YORK, Feb. 28.—Gen. G. Gonzales, of [illegible] Spanish army, arrived last night from [illegible] na. He comes as commissioner to treat [illegible] the Cuban junta on terms of peace.

The Terms of the Cuban Peace.

[illegible] YORK, Feb. 28.—It was rumored here [illegible] evening that intelligence had been [illegible] red from Havana stating that the volun-[illegible] were in a state of riot in consequence of [illegible] ms of peace the government proposed [illegible] r the Cubans, and that they insisted [illegible] the captain-general should force the [illegible] s to lay down their arms and surrender [illegible] ditionally.

WASHINGTON CITY.

The Silver Bill Vetoed.

[illegible] HINGTON, Feb. 28.—A message has just [illegible] received from the president vetoing the [illegible] bill. It has not yet been laid before the [illegible]

[illegible] ilver Bill Passed Over the Veto.

[illegible] HINGTON, Feb. 28.—The house, at 1:30, [illegible] the silver bill over the veto by a vote [illegible] against 73. A vote will be taken in the [illegible] shortly.

[illegible] o'clock the senate proceeded to vote on [illegible] sage of the silver bill, notwithstanding [illegible] jections of the president, and it was [illegible] by a two-thirds vote, yeas 46, nays 19.

The Passage of the Bill was Received.

[illegible] HINGTON, Feb. 28.—The passage of the [illegible] bill over the president's veto was al-[illegible] universally considered a foregone con-[illegible] but the actual accomplishment of the [illegible] and especially the emphatic prompt-[illegible] which characterized the action of both [illegible] caused great excitement at the capital [illegible] and little else is talked about to-night [illegible] about Washington. The president's [illegible] ified denunciation of the bill as a fraud [illegible] public and private creditors, incensed [illegible] solidified all those who had previously [illegible] for it, and the only legislative effect of [illegible] sage was to cause several members of [illegible] to vote for the message who had [illegible] ly voted to lay it on the table. [illegible] end, Republican, from Troy, New [illegible] district, was one of those [illegible] came over to the silver men [illegible] this pressure. Davis voted to sustain [illegible] All the other Pacific coast repre-[illegible] es voted to override it. There were [illegible] ges from the former votes of senators [illegible] question except that of Hill, who [illegible] speech against the bill and was here [illegible] announced as paired against it; voted [illegible] day. Sargent and Mitchell voted to [illegible] the veto. Jones and Grover were re-[illegible] against sustaining, and Booth would [illegible] ave voted for the final passage of the [illegible] was paired. Taking into account the [illegible] opponents of the bill and six of its [illegible] against whom they were doubly [illegible] and assuming that Christiancy and [illegible] who were absent without pairs, would [illegible] ted on opposite sides, the full vote of [illegible] ate on the question of overriding the [illegible] would have been 53 against 23. An un-[illegible] nted feature of the day's proceedings [illegible] ing the veto was the entire absence of [illegible] ort or apparent desire to debate it.

Naughty Congressman.

[illegible] AGO, Feb. 28.—The *Journal's* Washing-[illegible] cial says: In the house after the veto [illegible] Stephens moved the previous ques-[illegible] the passage of the bill, which was sus-[illegible] Cox remarking that the message was [illegible] of fraud by a fraud, McCook called [illegible] to order and demanded that his words be [illegible] down. Much excitement ensued, and [illegible] aker said Cox spoke out of order and [illegible] words would not appear on the record.

Wavering in the Cabinet.

[illegible] AGO, Feb. 28.—The *Tribune's* Washing-[illegible] cial says: There was great wavering [illegible] cabinet about the veto message up to [illegible] Secretary Sherman was disposed to [illegible] public opinion and political necessity. [illegible] Evarts is said to have remarked: [illegible] bill was defeated the people might be [illegible] perated as to force the passage of some [illegible] ultra measure." Many gold men ex-[illegible] a similar view.

Preparing to Coin Silver.

[illegible] Secretary of the treasury has already [illegible] the necessary arrangements for the [illegible] diate execution of the law providing for [illegible] nage of silver dollars, so that there will [illegible] delay whatever in its operation. The [illegible] ry has prepared the form of the silver [illegible] ate, and approved the device for the [illegible] silver dollars, which was submitted to [illegible] the director of the mint. The depart-[illegible] is therefore prepared to begin without [illegible] the administration of the new law.

Collecting the Raw Material.

[illegible] million dollars has been placed to the [illegible] of the Philadelphia mint, and $600,000 [illegible] of the Carson mint, so that both can [illegible] work on the silver dollar at once.

Revenue Receipts.

[illegible] total internal revenue receipts for the [illegible] show a decrease of half a million since [illegible] ar.

Democratic Caucuses.

[illegible] Democratic caucus discussed, without [illegible] the question of appointing experts for [illegible] the seven investigating committees. [illegible] ing will be held to-morrow afternoon [illegible] the subject will be resumed and consid-[illegible] given Gen. Banning's army pay bill.

Senator Gordon.

[illegible] ator Gordon has written to various [illegible] and boards of trade, which were moving [illegible] him to Europe as a commissioner [illegible] the south, that the probable length of the [illegible] session of congress will prevent him [illegible] going abroad.

Personal Note.

[illegible] HINGTON, Feb. 28.—Alexander Martin, [illegible] and-refiner in the mint, left this even [illegible] San Francisco.

Report Ordered.

[illegible] house committee on Pacific railroads [illegible] unanimously authorized Representa-[illegible] ouse to report the Texas Pacific rail-[illegible] ill at the next call of the committees for [illegible] as, subject, however, to any action that [illegible] be taken in the meantime by the com-[illegible] of changes [illegible] the provisions, [illegible] serving the [illegible] also for a minority [illegible] to be made.

To be Appointed Consul.

[illegible] HINGTON, Feb. 28.—[illegible] of Louisiana, who was [illegible] at Colon [illegible] pointed consul to Kingston, Jamaica.

Will Stand by their Record.

[illegible] YORK, Feb. 28.—The *Herald's* Wash-[illegible] special says: The entire senate [illegible] though probable would change. Ead-[illegible]